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DELMEGE—In proud and ever-loving memory of Captain Eyre Bolton Massy, M.C., 1st Battalion East Lancashire Regiment (mentioned in despatches, recommended for D.S.O.), who fell, mortally wounded, on the Somme, on October 23rd, 1916, having been three times previously wounded, aged 25 years. "Greater love hath no man . . ." "Nearer, my God, to Thee, nearer to Thee." Inserted by his devoted younger surviving brother, Hugh.

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O'NEILL—In loving memory of my dear brother, Corporal Tommey O'Neill, 2nd R.D.F., killed in France October 23rd, 1916. Ever remembered.—Mollie.

BIRTHS.

BROWETT—October 17, 1927, at Derrybawn, Tivoli terrace, South, Kingstown, to Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Browett, a son.

DIAMOND—October 16, 1927, at Sans Souci Nursing Home, to Henry and Nellie Diamond, Green road, Knock, Belfast, a son.

LYON—October 8, 1927, at Private Nursing Home, Dublin, to Mr and Mrs. A. B. Lyon, of "Waverley," Howth road, Clontarf, a son.

MARRIAGES

LISTON and QUINLAN—October 12, 1927, at St. Anthony's Church, Clontarf, with Nuptial Mass and Papal Benediction, by the Rev. Michael Quinlan, S.J. (brother of the bride), John Joseph Liston, F.R.C.S., son of the late Mr. George Liston, Kilmallock, and Mrs. Liston, 108 Eastney road, Southsea, and Christina E., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Quinlan, Kilbrogan, Hollybrook road, Clontarf, Dublin.

MAGILL and WILSON—October 19, 1927, at Christ Church, Bray, by the Rev. Canon Scott, Robert H., younger son of the late Ephrain Magill, to Eva J., younger daughter of John R. Wilson.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

BEATTY—October 16, 1927, at Trory, Enniskillen, Sarah, widow of the late John Beatty, in her 88th year. "Peace perfect peace."

BUTLER—October 21, 1927, at 58 South Circular road, Rialto, Richard Bryan Butler. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and children. "Peace, perfect peace." Funeral leaving his residence for St. Victor's Church at 9 a.m. to-day (Monday), arriving at Mount Jerome 10 a.m.

BYRNE—October 22, 1927, at Our Lady's Hospice, Harold's Cross, Michael Joseph, beloved son of Mrs. Byrne, 96 Elford terrace, South Circular road, and the late Thomas Byrne. R.I.P. Funeral private. No flowers, prayers instead.

CONWAY—John Conway, Merchant, Bangor-Erris, aged 52, beloved husband of Mrs. A. Conway, N.T., to the inexpressible grief of family and wide circle of friends. High Mass this (Monday) morning at 11 o'clock. Funeral, Kiltane, 2 o'clock.

FLETCHER—October 22, 1927, very suddenly, at her residence, Berea, Rathfarnham, Annie, widow of the late Alexander Fletcher. Funeral at Florencecourt at 2 o'clock to-morrow (Tuesday).

HOWARD—At her residence, Abbey House, Ennis, Mary, widow of the late Anthony Howard. High Mass to-morrow (Tuesday) morning at Cathedral at 10 o'clock. Funeral at 1 o'clock for Drumcliffe.

JOHNSON—October 20, 1927, at Minehead, Somerset, Alice Sophie, widow of Robert Edward Johnson, of Manchester, and Clifford, County Cork, and last surviving daughter of Samuel Charles Stanley, of Dublin, aged 92.

KELLIHER—October 23, 1927, Joseph, youngest son of the late Michael and Mrs. Kelliher, of Upper Clare street, Limerick. Profoundly regretted. R.I.P. Funeral from St. Patrick's Church, after Requiem Mass, at 10.30 a.m. to-morrow (Tuesday), 25th. American papers please copy.

KENNY—October 21, 1927, at her residence, 34 Victoria Buildings, Blackrock, Bridget Christina (Bridie), eldest daughter of Mary and the late James Kenny. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing mother, brother, sisters, brother-in-law, and a large circle of friends. Funeral from St. John's, Blackrock, to Dean's Grange at 2 p.m. to-day (Monday). American and English papers please copy.

KINCH—October 23, 1927, at her residence, Rocklittle, Arklow, Mary, beloved wife of William Kinch. "Peace, perfect peace." Funeral to New Cemetery, Arklow, to-morrow (Tuesday) at 2 p.m.

LEDGER—October 22, 1927, at 27 Adelaide road, Dublin, Susie, the dearly-loved wife of Robert F. Ledger, late of Assam. Funeral, 10.30 a.m., at Mount Jerome Cemetery to-morrow (Tuesday), October 25th.

McINNES—October 22, 1927, at The Cottage, Phoenix Park, Peter McInnes, Board of Works. Funeral leaves at 9.30 to-morrow (Tuesday) morning, Mount Jerome.

McKENNA—October 22, 1927, at his residence, 21 Thornvale avenue, Larne, John McKenna, R.I.P. Funeral this day (Monday) at 3 p.m. from St. MacNissi's Church for interment in New Cemetery, Larne.

O'DONNELL—On Saturday, October 22, 1927, at Carlingford, His Eminence Patrick Cardinal O'Donnell, Archbishop of Armagh and Primate of All Ireland. R.I.P. Remains will be removed by motor-hearse from Carlingford to-day (Monday), 24th inst., leaving at 1 p.m., and arriving about 5 p.m. at St. Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh, where he will lie in State. Solemn Office and Requiem Mass in St. Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh, at 11 o'clock on Friday morning, 28th inst., after which the interment will take place.

SHEPARD—October 23, 1927, at Sheephill, Wicklow, William John, eldest son of the late Henry Shepard, Oatlands. Funeral arrangements later.

TIGHE—October 22, 1927, at her residence, 33 Clarendon street, Teresa Tighe, aged 69 years (late servant of Trinity College). Funeral from St. Teresa's, Clarendon street, to-morrow (Tuesday) for Kill-o'-the-Grange Cemetery at 1.30 p.m.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mr. Hugh Monan and family thank all friends for kindness and sympathy in their recent bereavement, and hope they will accept this acknowledgment.

MR. STEWART WALKER—Rev. J. T. and Mrs. Webster, Rev. C. A. and Mrs. Rainsford, return their sincere thanks to the many kind friends who sent letters, telegrams, and floral tributes and sympathised with them in their recent bereavement, and trust they will accept this as a grateful acknowledgment.

Mrs. Archie Wilson, 10 Mulgrave place, wishes to return sincere thanks to the many kind friends who sent messages of sympathy and wreaths in her bereavement, and trust all will accept this notice in grateful acknowledgment.

IN MEMORIAM.

ABBOTT—In loving memory of Charlotte Elizabeth, widow of the late Venerable Archdeacon D. C. Abbott, who died at Portstewart on October 24th, 1926.

CANTWELL—October 24, 1926—First Anniversary—In loving memory of Daniel Cantwell, 41 Mall, Waterford.

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HODGINS—In fond and ever-present memory of our dear mother, Mary Jane Hodgins, 2 Beresford terrace, Arklow, who went Home to God on October 24th, 1926.

LYNCH—First Anniversary—In loving memory of my dear husband, Eddie (Ned) Lynch, who departed this life October 23, 1926. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on his soul. Inserted by his loving wife and sisters-in-law.

LYSTER—Second Anniversary—John Purefoy Lyster, died 24th October, 1925, at Cork. Ever in my thoughts.—Lily.

ROSS—In ever-loving memory of dear Eileen, who entered into rest on October 24, 1926, at William street, Sligo.

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REST for the Dying, Camden row, Dublin—Wanted, Certificated Nurse (Protestant) as Ward Sister; also Staff Nurse. Apply by letter to Matron. 20 B

SURGERY for Sale, in good working class district; excellent opening.—N 448, this office. 22 D

TWO fully trained Nurses seek appointments, in or near Dublin; nursing home preferred.—N 366, this office. 21 A

YOUTH desires Apprenticeship (indoor) with Chemist in Dublin or suburbs; Prelim. passed; highest references. Address "Z 2485, Youth," this office. 19 A

TUITIONS AND SCHOLARSHIPS.

ALL Professional and University Prelims., Oral and Correspondence. Success list free.—McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, Gardiner's row, Dublin. T

ATTENDANTS, Helps, Useful Maids, Nursery Governesses, Companions seeking engagements, should apply Matron, Registry, "Irish Times," Dublin. 22 F

INTERMEDIATE and University College, 109 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin. Recent Successes:—26th Place, Clerical Officers, July, 1927; 28th Place, Clerical Officers, July, 1926; 4th Place, Easter Scholarship, 1926; 26th Place, Easter Scholarship, 1927; 1st Place in French, Matric., Autumn, 1926; 11th Place, Royal Bank, June, 1927; 12 Successes, Matric., 1927; 5 Successes, First Arts, 1926; 3 Successes, B.A., 1927. Other Successes include 33rd Place, Writing Assistants, January, 1927. Other places:—Hibernian Bank, College of Surgeons, etc. Morning Classes now working. Night Classes now forming for those engaged at business during day. Prospectus on application to Principal, T. Carney, B.A., H.Dip. 15 17

J. IRVINE, ex-Scholar, B.A., prepares for all usual examinations, Entrance National, Trinity, Littlego, Freshman term, Surgeons', Solicitors', Pharmaceutical, Preliminaries, etc.; numerous recent successes; backward pupils taken; individual tuition; moderate terms.—6 Mountpleasant square, Ranelagh. 21 C

NURSERY Governess, young, experienced, capable, good references, Protestant, disengaged.—Whitford, 3 Slieve Foy place, Warrenpoint.

PIANOFORTE—Lady has vacancies; lessons at teacher's or pupil's residence.—N 278, this office. 20 B

SHORTHAND, Typewriting—Personal painstaking Tuition; rapid results; moderate.—Murphy, 16 Appian Way. 12 19

YOUNG Lady has vacancies for few Pupils, Piano, Violin, or Singing; many successes with pupils at R.I.A.M.; pupils also prepared for London examinations; highest testimonials; terms moderate.—N 414, this office. 21 B

TUITIONS CONTINUED.

GOVERNESSES AND TUTORS WANTED.

AGENT FOR GOVERNESSES AND SCHOOLS Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton street, Dublin. Advise Parents and Managers. Tel. No. 5258. T

A GOVERNESS Wanted, near Dublin, 3 pupils; £60. Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton street.

AT "Irish Times" Registry—Companions, Nursery Governesses, Useful and Mothers' Helps, Nurse Attendants, city, country, daily, indoor; I.C.'s, R.C.'s; a large number. 22 F

ENGLISH and History and Geography Master Wanted immediately for large College; salary £165 per year intern, all found; must be capable of teaching those subjects to all classes. Pass and Honours, Intermediate and Leaving Certificate. Address "Z 2572, Master," this office. T

NURSERY Governess Wanted, Protestant; musical; state experience, salary, references (Stillorgan). Address "Z 2542, Governess," this office. 21 A

NURSERY Governess, young, experienced, Roman Catholic. Wanted for girl, 8½ years, County Dublin; must be able to take entire charge; Continental education preferred; send copies references.—N 451, this office. 21 B

WANTED, Nursery Governess, Gentlewoman, Protestant, for Co. Kildare; three children, eldest aged ten; send copies references, state age and salary. Address "Z 2550, Governess," this office. 21 C

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

AN experienced Girl seeks position as Cashier, Assistant Manageress, or Counter Hand, shop or refreshment.—N 181, this office. 19 A

A PROTESTANT Boy, 16, desires to be apprenticed to Grocery and Hardware. Address "Z 2568, Boy," this office. 22 D

BUILDER, at present disengaged, wishes to know if any enterprise Building.—N 360, this office. 21 C

DRESSMAKER, experienced, wants work ladies' houses, Alterations; recommended.—N 343, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge. 21 C

EX-NAVAL Petty Officer would be grateful to hear of position as Caretaker, to follow own employment; security if required; object suitable accommodation.—N 256, this office. 20 B

EXPERIENCED Mother's Help, country (any part); very good references.—N 240, this office. 20 B

EXPERIENCED Bookkeeper seeks position, city or country; good references.—N 403, this office. 21 B

FRUIT and Vegetables—Experienced Girl, presently engaged, would like change; highest reference.—N 351, this office.

GROCERY, Provisions—Assistant, just disengaged, wishes position; city or country; highest reference. Address "Z 2512, Assistant," this office. 20 B

HOUSEKEEPER, Gentlewoman, I.C., long experience, excellent cook, undertake full charge of house and servants; highly recommended.—A., c/o Mrs. Chiborn, Moate, Westmeath. 20 B

HOUSEKEEPER General, one or two gentlemen; good cook; disengaged November 1st.—N 437, this office. 23 B

LADY, educated, wishes post Help or Companion; excellent references; home more essential than salary. Address "Z 2466, Help," this office. 19 B

LADY Bookkeeper desires change; auditor's references. N 376, this office. 21 C

MANTLES—Experienced Lady, disengaged 1st November, competent to take charge and buy; please state terms.—N 346, this office. 20 B

MRS. O'Hara is anxious to recommend a General Handy Man, married, middle aged, very strong and active; can do rough carpentry and painting.—Mornington, Crookedwood, Westmeath.

REFINED, energetic Lady wishes post, Housekeeper, Companion Help, or any position of trust; willing to take small salary; comfortable home taken into consideration.—N 274, this office. 20 B

R.I.C. Pensioner, single, 33, clerical experience, seeks position, any kind; Caretaker, Night Watchman, Debt Collector, etc.; well recommended.—N 449, this office. 22 B

WELL educated Lady as General help housework and shop, bookkeeping; excellent references. Address "Z 2571, Lady," this office.

WANTED, situation as Priest's Housekeeper; country preferred; can be highly recommended; immediately.—N 436, this office. 23 D

YOUNG Gentlewoman (Catholic) would like post as Companion; most capable, experienced; fond of reading and needlework; assist with housekeeping and garden; South of Ireland preferred. Address "Z 2471, Gentlewoman," this office. 21 B

YOUNG Lady, I.C., desires post, Companion or Lady Help; experienced, good needlewoman. Address "Z 4569, Lady," this office.

YOUNG Girl leaving school wishes to hear vacancy, Shorthand Typist, Cash Desk, anything similar.—N 464, this office.

MALE SERVANTS WANTED.

A PROTESTANT Chauffeur Wanted; 35/-, house, coal, vegetables, milk; suburbs; also Under Gardener; 27/-, house, vegetables, milk; state age, number in family.—N 440, this office.

PLOUGH and General Farm Hand; state age, religion, family; send copy of last discharge.—Miss Tynte, Dunlavin. 20 X

STABLE Man Wanted, experienced, ride, work under stud groom, indoor; send copies, full particulars. Address "Z 2521, Stable Man," this office. 21 A

WANTED, experienced, single handed Butler, or Parlourman; table, housework, valet, or willing to learn; three servants; three in family; country. Copies, age and wages, "Z 2487, Butler," this office. 19 A

WANTED, an experienced Groom, to take charge of sire, brood mares, and foals; send copies of discharges of last employer.—N 308, this office. 20 B

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS WANTED.

EXPERIENCED Working Steward required, understanding farming in all its branches. Apply, stating age, terms, and references, to Count de la Poer, Gurteen le Poer, Kilsheelan, Clonmel. 21 B

WANTED, capable Gardener, who can tend and milk cow; Blackrock vicinity.—N 431, this office.

WORKING, Protestant, married Gardener; send copy of last discharge, with terms expected.—Miss Tynte, Dunlavin. 20 X

MALE SERVANTS DISENGAGED.

A NUMBER Protestant and R.C. Butler Valets, Footmen.—Kennedy's, 68 Sackville street.

BUTLER Valet, Protestant, thoroughly experienced hunting things, active reliable; recommended; state terms.—44 Botanic road, Glasnevin. 21 A

BUTLER Valet, job or permanent, singlehanded or otherwise; disengaged. Address "Z 2580, Valet," this office. 23 B

GROOM or Second Horseman, married, disengaged; highly recommended.—N 171, this office. 19 A

HERDSMAN, young, married, thorough knowledge pedigree or commercial stock; butcher, dishorn, castrate, treat all diseases; eight years' recommendation from present employer.—Herd, Kilcleagh, Moate. 19 A

HOUSE Boy (20) disengaged, generally useful; highly recommended present employer. Address "Z 2570, Boy," this office.

RABBIT Trapper requires job; own nets and excellent references. Address "Z 2457, Trapper," this office. 19 A

WANTED, situation as Ploughman, thoroughly experienced with machinery, good milker; married; can be well recommended. Address "Z 2575, Man," this office.

YOUNG Man, experienced, seeks job or position, Dairy, Farm, city or country.—R O 574, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 19 A

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS DISENGAGED.

GARDENER, General Man seeks post, indoor; single, I.C.; good milker.—N 142, this office. 19 A

WORKING Stewardship required by single Man, Protestant; can be well recommended as to character and knowledge, etc.—Reverend O'Connor, Donard. 21 C

DOMESTICS WANTED.

AT Irish Times Registry—Cooks, schools, institutions, private; Cook Generals and HP'maids, £30-£45; Helps, etc.; placed immediately. 22 F

ALL classes of Servants Wanted, with references from gentry.—Mrs. Woods, 18 Nassau street.

HOUSEKEEPER, for West; do for three or four shooting guests; nice plain cook and quiet disposition. Particulars as to age and previous work, to "Z 2561, Housekeeper," this office.

WANTED, superior Working Housekeeper, gentleman's place; help given; interview desired. Apply, with copy references, to "Z 2557, Housekeeper," this office. 21 A

WANTED, willing, active Daily Maid; experienced; Protestant preferred.—1144, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge. 23 D

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ENGLAND—Required immediately, two Sisters or Friends, as good plain Cook (£30) and House Parlourmaid (£24); passage paid; small labour saving house, laundry out; three in family; two minutes R.C. church, twenty miles London, adjoining station, two miles golf course; good references absolutely essential. Reply early, Mrs. W. Castilla, West Byfleet, Weybridge, Surrey, England.

WANTED, for doctor's house, smart young Cook General.—N 290, this office. 20 B

WANTED, Cook General, age about 40, small family; must be highly recommended; wages £30. Pembroke district.—N 363, this office. 21 C

DOMESTICS CONTINUED.

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A YOUNG General Wanted immediately; well recommended. Call 9 Hollybrook road, Clontarf. 21 C

A BIG number good Generals Wanted, £24-£36; placed immediately; well recommended only.—"Irish Times" Registry, Dublin. 22 F

EXPERIENCED General Wanted, Blackrock, about 26th; two in family; no washing; good references; wages from £30—£30, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock. 19 A

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TRUSTWORTHY General; good wages, liberal outings; grown family, South suburbs.—N 365, this office. 21 D

WANTED, General, small family; wages £30. Call 24 Main street, Blackrock.

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YOUNG General, good cook, help, mind baby, light housework. Apply between 6 and 7 o'clock, 18 Eaton square, Terenure.

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HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED.

WANTED, young Housemaid, with experience; recommended; country.—395, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock. 19 A

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AGENT for NURSES, MAIDS and ATTENDANTS. Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton street, Dublin. Interviews daily. Tel. No. 5258. T

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WANTED immediately, capable, experienced Nurse, R.C., take charge three children, ages 5, 3, 1. Send copies references, stating age, wages required, to Mrs. Ivan Harris, Overdale, Limerick. 20 B

WANTED immediately, Children's Maid, R.C.; country town; age, salary. Address "Z 2552, Maid," this office. 21 C

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A BIG number of well recommended Cooks, Working Housekeepers, Cook Generals, House Parlourmaids and Daily Workers; all classes; city, country. Apply Matron, Irish Times Office. 19 B

A WORKING Housekeeper, experienced, good plain cook; gentleman or otherwise; highly recommended. Address "Z 2500, Housekeeper," this office. 20 B

A MOST respectable Girl wishes three or four days weekly, any class of work; highest references.—N 348, this office. 21 A

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MRS. J. Lentaigne, Termonfeckin, Drogheda, recommends nice Girl as Under Housemaid; some experience. Apply Advertiser. 23 D

WORKING Housekeeper, farmer's daughter, plain cook, dairy, good references. Address "Z 2485, Housekeeper," this office. 20 B

YOUNG Girl, Betweenmaid or Under Housemaid; highly recommended. Address "Z 2530, Girl," this office. 21 A

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AN experienced Cook General and House Parlourmaid would like to go together, Bray district.—999, Wilde's Office, Bray. 21 A

COOK General disengaged; experienced; well recommended.—N 462, this office. 21 A

GOOD Plain Cook or would go Cook General; well recommended; Protestant. Address "Z 2529, Cook," this office. 21 A

GOOD Cook, institution, college, hotel, city, suburbs, country town; good papers.—N 446, this office. 23 B

GOOD Cook General—Respectable country Girl wishes situation; early riser; city, country.—M. Foster, Skertheen Cottage, Monasterevan. 21 B

YOUNG Cook General disengaged; highly recommended.—N 427, this office. 21 A

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GENERAL, settled woman; good cook; wash; highly recommended.—N 452, this office.

LADY recommends experienced young General, city, suburbs; good references.—N 445, this office.

RESPECTABLE General disengaged; can be well recommended.—Millview House, Kinnmage road, Harold's Cross. 21 A

SMART young General, or Cook. Seen to-day, 11-1, 24 Main street, Blackrock.

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AN experienced House Parlourmaid, suburbs; £30-£34; excellent, long references.—N 447, this office.

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YOUNG House Parlourmaid, disengaged 1st November. Apply, letter, Mrs. Martin, Overaden, Clonskea. 22 D

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CERTIFIED Children's Nurse, R.C., desires post; excellent references.—Box 1421, Irish Times Branch Office, Cork. 19 A

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FOR Sale, a large quantity of Building Materials; Slates, Red Roofing Tiles, Girders, and all classes of Timber; cheap.—Hammond Lane Foundry Co., Ltd., 18 and 20 Usher street. 20 B

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HANDSOMELY Carved Mahogany Billiard Table, full size, with all accessories, first class order; bargain for immediate Sale.—N 190, this office. 19 A

HOT Water Bottles, best quality, grey rubber, 3/9, 6/9, 7/9, postage 6d.—Hely's, Dame street. 9 20

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RICK Covers, Sacks, for Sale or Hire on best terms.—Coleman, 25, 26, 27 Chancery street, Dublin (behind the Four Courts). 26 17

RICK Covers, Sacks, Waterproof Covers for all purposes.—Petrie Brothers, 36 Usher's quay, Dublin. 78 19

RANGE for Sale, Eagle make, in good order.—Ardgla, Dundrum, Co. Dublin. 21 A

SCHOOL Attache Cases, best quality fibre, 12" 3/9, 14" 4/6, 16" 5/-, 18" 5/9, post 6d.—Hely's, Dame street. 8 20

SECONDHAND Billiard Tables for Sale, small sizes. To be seen at Millar and Beatty, 14 Grafton street. 22 D

TYPEWRITERS, cheap, every make, guaranteed; Repairs.—Norman Works, 25 Lower Ormond quay. 21 C

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FOUR Valve Set, complete with all accessories; heard by appointment.—N 193, this office. 19 A

WANTED, three or four Valve Wireless Set; must be able to eliminate Dublin when Daventry is working; state make and lowest price. Address "Z 2579, Wireless," this office.

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ANTIQUE Silver Cups, Candlesticks, Salvers, Sugar Bowls, etc.; also Diamond Ornaments, Precious Stones and Old Gold; highest prices given.—West and Son, Grafton House, Grafton street. T

BILLIARD Table Wanted, full size; state make, lowest price.—N 459, this office.

CHILD'S Playground Wanted; state size, condition and price.—Corrigan, Paulville, Tullow, Carlow. 20 A

FEATHER BEDS WANTED. Highest prices given. Will send to examine in city.—IRISH FEATHER CO., LTD., TARA ST., Dublin. IRISH FIRM. 'Phone 661. T

MACHINERY.

ANGLE Fencing, Posts 6ft. long, holed and pointed; Barbed and Plain Fencing Wire, Bed Angles, 5ft. and 6ft. long; Field Gates, 10ft. and 9ft. wide x 4ft. high; Anvils, Girders, etc.—McGowan Brothers, Store street, Dublin. 23 T

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FOR Sale, 15 Motors, from 60 h.p. to 3 h.p., suitable for Shannon scheme; cheap.—Hammond Lane Foundry Co., Ltd., 18 and 20 Usher street. 20 B

WANTED immediately, Cast Iron Sectional Boiler (Secondhand) for central heating; must be in perfect condition and cheap.—N 454, this office. 22 D

OPTICIANS.

PATRICK Cahill, Optician to His Holiness Pope Pius XI., 13 Wellington quay; 100 years established; high class work; moderate price. 76 22

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GUNS—Webley and Scott's, and all makes, new and secondhand; large stock Double Hammer Guns, from £4; Hammerless from £6; Hammerless Ejectors from £7 10/-; catalogues free.—L. Keegan, Gunmaker, Inns quay, Dublin. 12 13

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BLACK Repp Frock, £1; Black Velour Coat, fur collar, 30/-, good condition, medium; deposit approval. Address "Z 2564, Dress," this office.

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EVENING Dress Suit (tail coat), perfect condition, medium size; suit waiter; three guineas.—N 206, this office. 19 A

FOR Sale, elegant Black Morocain Evening Gown, beautiful studded diamante design, as new, cost £20, sacrifice £9; also other Evening Gowns; no dealers. Seen, after 6, 1½ Harrington street.

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WANTED, Lady's Riding Coat, to suit dark grey or navy skirt.—N 202, this office. 19 A

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AT Highest Value—James Hill and Son, Bachelor's Walk, Purchase Furniture Pianos, Antiques. T

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FOR Sale, Overstrung Upright Grand Piano (German), perfect condition, ebony case. Address "Z 2578, Piano," this office. 23 B

GRAMOPHONE Stores—Only address, Johnston's Court (beside Clarendon street Church), Grafton street. Buy Beltona Records. X

MARRIED Couple require Piano; price moderate. Full particulars, N 207, this office. 19 C

MAGNIFICENT Upright Iron Grand German Overstrung Piano, ebony case, £55.—N 390, this office. 21 C

PIANO, Boudoir Grand, excellent order, rosewood case. Address "Z 2566, Piano," this office. 21 D

WANTED, Organ, 3 feet in width; also Piano; particulars, lowest prices.—N 160, this office. 19 A

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FATAL BOILER EXPLOSION.

An inquest held at Sir Patrick Dun's Hospital, Dublin, last Saturday on Peter Waters, aged 45, a labourer employed by Mr. Bartle Woods, Mountainstown, who died on Friday as the result of injuries received through the bursting of the boiler of a threshing engine at a farm at Dunleer on the 13th inst., was adjourned until next Friday, as no one was present to give evidence as to the condition of the boiler, and the assistance of the Inspector of Factories would also be required.

COURTOWN FISHERMEN'S PLIGHT.

Owing to the silting of the sand at the pier's mouth, Courtown Harbour (Gorey) fishermen have been unable, for months past, to put to sea. A public meeting is to be called to direct attention to the fishermen's plight.

LIVERPOOL MEAT IMPORTS.

FROM OUR COMMERCIAL CORRESPONDENT.

During the past week seven steamers landed fresh meat at Liverpool from the various North and South American and Colonial ports. The vessels, with their freights, were as follows:—The Port Bowen, from Australia, with 3,944 sheep and lamb carcases and 4,556 quarters of beef; the Deseado, from River Plate, with 12,088 sheep and lamb carcases, 234 carcases and 930 cases of pork, 8,389 bags of meat, and 34,711 quarters of beef; the Montclare, from Montreal, with 2,881 boxes of meat; the Megantic, from Montreal, with 69 boxes of pork and 666 boxes of meat; the Carinthia, from New York, with 186 boxes, etc., of meat; the Celtic, from New York, with 28 boxes of meat; and the Winifredian, from Boston, with 51 boxes of meat—making a total of 16,030 sheep and lamb carcases, 1,283 boxes and carcases of pork, 12,107 boxes, etc., of meat and 39,267 quarters of beef. Compared with the imports of the preceding week, these figures show an increase of 9,552 quarters of beef and 5,413 boxes, etc., of meat, and a decrease of 91 boxes of pork and 1,519 sheep and lamb carcases.

During the past week Mr. J. Delahunty, assistant sheriff, Nenagh, made several seizures of cattle in the Nenagh district on foot of decrees for debts and Land Commission annuities.

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PRODUCE AND FOOD MARKETS.

CATTLE.

NORWICH.—There was a better demand for beef, which was in fair supply, small finished cattle making up to 11/6 and heavy bullocks 10/6 to 11/- per stone. Business slow for store cattle, which were in fair supply, and ranged from £10 to £22. Very few sheep were offered, and hoggets made up to 1/3, with shearlings in request at 1/1 per lb. Stores were more plentiful, and met a better inquiry at 58s. There was an improved demand for calves at £5 12/6, while veal changed hands at 11d. per lb. A large number of pigs met a fair demand, and pork sold at 12/- per stone. Fat hogs were maintained at £9 12/6 and sows at £11 12/6. A fair demand prevailed for feeders at 84/-; strong stores were in moderate request at 66/-, with other sorts cheaper. At market—Cattle 1,795, sheep 855, pigs 751.

GRAIN.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC.—WHEAT Cargoes—White Pacific October sellers 48/9, November 48/9, No. 3 Northern Manitoba November 48/9, December 47/7½, January 47/7½, Rosafe (62lbs.) October-November 49/-, January-February 49/9, Barusso (62lbs.) January-February 49/3, Australian afloat 51/3 to 51/6 as to position. Parcels inactive. MAIZE Cargoes—Plate steamer afloat sellers 32/-, November 32/7½, December 33/-, January 33/6, No. 6 yellow African afloat 32/3, October 32/9. Parcels quiet and easier; Plate October-November 31/7½, November-December 31/9 paid, December-January 32/4½, No. 6 yellow African October-November 33/- per 480lbs.

LIVERPOOL CORN.—Following the weakness in Chicago and Winnipeg, forward deliveries of WHEAT here gave way considerably during early trading, but a moderate part of the decline was afterwards recovered owing to a demand from shorts to cover. C.i.f. parcels No. 1 dark spring due sold at 48/7½ per qr. to Manchester and No. 3 hard winter Oct.-15th Nov. at 47/7½ to Liverpool. MAIZE—C.i.f. parcels River Plate Dec.-Jan. sold at 32/4½ per qr. Wheat on the spot dull and easier. Maize—Spot parcels quiet at 6/11½ to 7/- per cental for River Plate. FLOUR quiet and unchanged. Official prices straight run 41/- per 280lbs. ex mill. Graded wheat futures opened 1d. to 1d. per cental lower, lost a further ½d., then recovered partially, the market closing steady at 1d. to 1d. under Friday night. Sales, 100 loads at 10/0½ for Oct., 10/2½, 10/2½, 10/2½ to 10/2½ for Dec., 10/2½, 10/2½ for March, and 10/1½, 10/1½, 10/1½ for May delivery. Closing prices—Oct. 10/0½, Dec. 10/2½, March 10/2½, and May 10/1½ per cental.

NEWCASTLE.—Quiet market, dragging trade; foreign wheat and new English easier. Quotations:—Foreign wheat 11/3 to 13/-, English old 12/9, new 10/2; maize 8/-. Foreign oats old Plate 9/6; natives, old 11/9, new 10/-. Flour 43/- to 45/-.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL.—BACON—The demand for all selections in this market is quiet, and prices generally favour buyers, though little material change noted in prices. Irish 90/- to 96/- and Canadian Wiltshires 84/- to 86/- per cwt., with other quotations unchanged. HAMS and shoulders remain quiet, with late prices repeated for all descriptions. LARD on the spot in moderate request, chiefly for American refined, but no quotable change made in values. CHEESE attracts little attention, but late prices are maintained. BUTTER still dull and favouring buyers, Danish being reduced 2/- to 192/- to 196/- per cwt. EGGS scarce and dearer at 21/- to 23/- per 120—for Irish fresh hen and 18/- to 18/6 for duck.

LIVERPOOL REFINED LARD "FUTURES."—Chicago finished worse than expected, but prices here ruled irregular, near positions being unchanged to 3d. per cwt. over Friday night, while distant months showed 3d. to 6d. decline, though a good business resulted. Sales covered October at 68/3 to 68/9, November 68/- to 68/3, January 67/6, 67/3 and 67/6, May quoted 67/- to 68/- per cwt. Closing prices—October 68/9, November 68/6, January 67/6, May 68/- per cwt.

DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE.—Apples 1/- to 2/6 per tray, 15/- to 20/- per barrel, 10/- to 12/- and 16/- per keg. Good supply of vegetables; fair sale at easy rates, but cauliflowers, cabbage and Swede turnips firmer. Cauliflowers 1/4 to 1/8 per dozen, seconds 9d. to 1/-; York cabbage 12/- to 20/- and 25/-, a few extras up to 32/-; Savoys made around 12/- per load; Swede turnips 1/8 to 2/1 per cwt.; kale 4d. to 6d. per dozen; white turnips 3d. to 5d. per bundle; celery 2/6 to 4/6 per dozen; carrots 1/9 to 2/3 per dozen bunches; marrows 1/6 to 3/6 per dozen; parsley 6d. to 1/- per tray; parsnips 4/- to 5/- per cwt.; thyme 2/- to 3/- per dozen bunches.

DUBLIN POTATO.—No change in trade for potatoes. Best qualities 5/- to 5/6 per cwt.

CORK BUTTER.—Slow inquiry, weak tone, prices receding. Creameries, 164/- to 168/- per cwt.; choicest fresh, 163/-; special dairies extra.

DUBLIN FISH.—Small fish supply in mostly country consignments, also 8 chests lobsters. Best lobsters 12/6 to 15/- per 13, seconds 7/6 to 10/-, others 2/6 to 5/- per lot; turbot 1/- to 10/-, brill 6d. to 2/- each; best soles 25/- to 35/- per 9 pairs, mediums 10/- to 15/-, slips 2/6 to 5/- per lot; codfish 15/- to 17/6 per half box, ray 7/6 to 12/6 ditto.

PRODUCE.

LONDON.—SUGAR—Of British-grown granulated, Cantley, Ely and Ipswich sold 28/3 ready delivery. Imported descriptions: T.L. granulated spot London sellers 27/10½, Dutch old landed 27/1½ to 27/4½, Czecho granulated November-December 14/6, January-March 14/9 f.o.b. Hamburg; Dutch November-December 14/6, January-March 14/10½ f.o.b. Rotterdam; Peruvian 96 p.c. afloat quoted 12/- c.i.f. U.K. White terminal October sold 14/-, December 13/11½, March 15/11½, May 16/2½, August 16/6 per cwt. COCOA—Accra firm; F/F October-December sellers 63/6, November-January 61/6 per cwt. f.o.b. terms. RICE—Rangoon two stars spot London sellers 15/6, October-November 14/-, Italian cleaned October-November 17/3, Spanish October-November 17/6 c.i.f. U.K. Beans—Madagascar butters October-December 23/6 and Rangoon haricots for shipment 11/- c.i.f. Peas—Japanese November-December quoted 26/-, December-January also January-February 26/3 per cwt. c.i.f. terms.

SPICE—Pepper, Black Singapore f.a.q. October-December quoted 1/3½, Lampong August-October 1/4, October-December 1/4½, Muntok October-December sellers 2/-, January-March 2/0½. Cloves slow; Zanzibar spot 7½d. to 7¾d., October-December 7d. Pimento spot 8½d. per lb. Tabioca—Singapore flake to Havre November-December sellers 20/9. Sago flour—Sarawak to U.K. November-December quoted 14/7½, January-March 14/9 per cwt. c.i.f. JUTE—Firsts to Continent September-October sold £30. October-November £30, November-December to January-February buyers £30, lightnings October-November and November-December quoted £21 5/- per ton. RUBBER—A fair amount of business was put through in the Mincing Lane market for raw rubber on Saturday, and prices advanced. The London stock figures to be issued to-day are expected to show a reduction of between 700 and 800 tons. At the close spot was quoted at 1/4¾, as against 1/4½ on Friday, while November gained ½d. at 1/4⅞ and December a similar amount at 1/4½; January-March finished at 1/5¼, against 1/4⅞ and April-June at 1/5⅜, compared with 1/5½.

LIVERPOOL.—CANE SUGAR unchanged. Peruvian Oct. shipment quoted 12/- per cwt. c.i.f. to U.K. basis 96 deg. pol. COCOA—West African on spot quiet, steady. New crop firm; value Oct.-Dec. 62/-, and sellers Nov.-Jan. 61/6 per cwt. f.o.b. D. clause. COFFEE shows further improvement. RICE—Burmah remains at 16/- to 16/6 on spot and 14/3 per cwt. c.i.f. forward No. 2, with a quiet demand. HEMP—Manila steady; values unchanged, £42 10/- J. 2, £40 K, £39 11/- and £38 per ton L 2 and M 1 grades, Oct.-Dec. shipments. SAGO FLOUR—Sarawak on spot quiet, but unaltered; sellers ex store 16/6 to 17/- and afloat and Oct.-Nov. shipments c.i.f. 14/9 per cwt. JAPANESE PEAS fully steady, with 26/- wanted for spot parcels, 26/- afloat c.i.f. and forward shipments 25/- to 26/3 per cwt. c.i.f. RANGOON BEANS—White hand-picked on spot quiet, steady at 11/6, and forward c.i.f. parcels 11/- to 11/1½, and f.a.q. to arrive held for 8/4½ to 8/6 per cwt. c.i.f. BEANS—White Chilian Pallares on spot 19/- to 20/- asked. For arrival c.i.f. 17/6 refused, with 20/6 wanted; Chilian white Haricots quoted 17/-, Caballeros 14/6, Tuquitos, and 17/- Flugelets, all c.i.f. to arrive. Madagascar Butter held for 23/6 to 24/- spot, as to quality, and 24/- per cwt. c.i.f. forward. RICE BEAN firm; Burmah old crop, now £7, wanted Oct.-Dec., new Jan.-Feb. £6 7/6 per ton, ex ship. LOCUST BEANS steady, at £7 to £7 2/6 spot Cyprus in bags, and £5 15/- per ton c.i.f. forward shipments in bulk.

OILCAKES—Imported brands firm, but demand limited. American linseed £11 to £11 2/6 quoted, Bombay £10 15/-, and River Plate £11 7/6, all c.i.f. forward Nov. shipment. Egyptian undecorticated Cottonseed £6 12/6 quoted ex ship Oct.-Dec. Burmah ground 40 p.c. £8 16/3 asked, 37 p.c. £8 10/- c.i.f. to arrive. American Cottonseed Meals remain nominal at £11 50 p.c., and £10 per ton 36 p.c. c.i.f. for arrival. Liverpool Palm Kernel unaltered; crushers quote £8 5/- for cakes and £8 10/- per ton crushed and sweetened crushed meals ex mills. LINSEED quiet, steady; Oct.-Nov. River Plate £15 15/- per ton. COTTONSEED—Sellers very firm and reserved; value Brazil f.a.q. forward £8 10/- per ton ex quay terms. PALM KERNELS quiet, unchanged. To Liverpool value £20 15/- Oct.-Nov. Nov.-Dec. Hamburg, £20 12/6 sellers Oct.-Nov. Nov.-Dec. buyers 1/3 per ton less. PALM KERNEL OIL steady, but slow. Crushed crude G.M.Q. £38 15/- per ton quoted, naked ex mills, Liverpool.

COCOA NUT OIL—Ceylon for shipment c.i.f. Liverpool still at £41 5/- mill oil in drums, and £42 5/- wood packages. White Ceylon £42 5/- drums and £43 5/- per ton wood packages. SEED OILS—Local makes in request. Crushers firm at 40/6 common edible, 42/6 deodorised, nett naked ex mills for Cottonseed. Raw Linseed remains at 35/6 and boiled 37/6 per cwt., spot covered. PALM OIL—Values show little change. Soft Oils Nov.-Dec. quiet £34 17/6, Dec.-Jan. £35 5/-. Mediums Nov.-Dec. sold £34 2/6 per ton. TALLOW unchanged; sellers South American beefs Nov.-Dec. 39/6 per cwt. c.i.f. CASTOR OIL firm at £54 English pharmacy, £48 firsts, £46 seconds ex mills Hull in barrels. Madras forward £45 10/- per ton quoted c.i.f. barrels; good seconds Calcutta forward quiet at 5 3-16d. per lb. cases quay terms. Liverpool. RUBBER—Para quiet; hard fine spot 1/2. Plantation firm; spot 1/4½ Nov. 1/4½, Dec. 1/4¾, Jan.-March 1/5½ per lb. NITRATE OF SODA very firm; sellers reserved spot and forward. Values nominal. CUTCH unaltered spot Burmah 42/- to 48/- quoted, forward c.i.f. 42/- to 43/- per cwt. GUM—Niger Arabic still scarce on spot and quotations nominal. GAMBIER—Block firm at 27/- to 28/- spot and 25/- to 26/3 c.i.f. forward. No. 1 cubes on spot 37/- asked, and forward c.i.f. parcels 42/6 per cwt. ROSIN steady; 21/9 F.G. American, 22/9 N, 23/9 WG, 27/9 per cwt. WW spot. TURPENTINE quiet, steady at 41/6 per cwt. spot American. PETROLEUM—Refined oil steady at 1/1 to 1/2 per gallon spot American refined in barrels. QUILLAI BARK on spot held for 50/- and 39/- per cwt. asked Jan.-Feb. shipments.

LIVERPOOL SUGAR.—The following are Messrs. Tate and Lyle's (Ltd.) quotations:—Crystals—No. 1 31/3, small No. 1 29/9, No. 2 29/6, bright 29/4½. Granulated—Standard 29/3, H.T.S. 29/4½, coarse 29/7½, fine 29/7½, ex refinery Liverpool, less 1½ p.c. discount. Cubes ex refinery in London—First quality 32/-, H.T.S. 31/9, afternoon tea 32/3, less 1½ p.c. discount.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR.—Melted during the week 1,145 tons, raw stock 2,870 tons. Quotations for Clyde refined are now 28/9 for fine granulated and 28/- for ordinary per cwt., duty paid. Yellows have only been sparingly offered. The market closed steady. Moderate business doing.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.—Fair business has been done in American. Quotations, however, are reduced 4 points. Brazilian is a quiet market and quotations are 4 points lower. Egyptian Sakellaridis prices are raised 15 points. Those of Upper and Pilion are unchanged. East Indian quotations are unchanged. Sales totalled 6,000 bales.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.—American fell about 9 to 7 points during the first hour in sympathy with the overnight advices from New York, but later in the morning the sentiment was rather better, and slight trade calling brought a little improvement in prices. The market closed quiet, with the current month 9 and other months 7 to 5 points lower on the day. Egyptians closed steady, but quotations of Sakellaridis closed about 7 points to 8 points lower on the day, and of Upper about 10 to 11 points.

LEICESTER WOOL.—Trade is good all round, and at the present time orders are ahead of production in most departments, so that if it continues there is likely to be a shortage, particularly in heavy underwear and pullovers. In some cases this is realised, and orders have been placed well forward. Shipping orders, like home, are also good. Yarn prices are still very firm; indeed, it is difficult to find any agent who has obtained advances from manufacturers during the last fortnight. English wool is in a strong position, though prices are not quotably altered.

TROPICAL PRODUCE MARKET BETTER.

FROM OUR COMMERCIAL CORRESPONDENT.
LIVERPOOL, Saturday.

There is a decidedly healthy tone about the Tropical Produce Market this week, with the chief commodities meeting a steady demand at enhanced values. The palm oil section has been firm throughout, with values moving upward. Most of the buying has been on behalf of America and the Continent, though quite a fair trade has been put through by home consumers. Early on Lagos oil per the Adda and Aba changed at £35, but later 10s. per ton more had to be paid for accommodation, and to-day this value rules for early shipment material, with November-December at £35 12s. 6d. Low F.F.A. Opobo in store and November-December arrival have risen 12s. 6d. to £35 5s., while softs on spot have put on 10s. to £34 15s. December-January shows a premium on spot of 12s. 6d. at £35 7s. 6d. For mediums £34 7s. 6d. has been paid to-day, against £33 17s. 6d. at the beginning of the week, with the premium for December-January widening 7s. 6d. to £34 15s. Hards in near positions offer at £34 10s., with buyers at 5s. less. Exports from the United Kingdom during September are provisionally given as 546 tons, making the total for the nine months of this year 7,632 tons, which compares with 10,891 tons in the same period last year.

Spot quotations of oil are as follows:—Lagos, £35 12s. 6d.; Sherbro, £34 15s.; Opobo, £35 5s.; Benin, £34 15s.; and Niger, £34 10s.

Palm Kernels have met a good demand from consumers and dealers throughout the week. Prices show an advance of 1s. 3d. to 2s. 6d. at the opening of the week, when £20 16s. 3d. was paid for November-December shipment material to this port later improving to £20 17s. 6d. To-day buyers unsuccessfully offer £20 16s. 3d. for any position from spot onwards, dealers holding for £20 17s. 6d., with shippers asking £21. Hull consumers for the moment are rather quiet, though business has been noted in October-November at £20 15s. The Northern Continent, on the other hand has put through a good business, shippers making up to £20 17s. 6d. for November-December shipment, with dealers sellers at 1s. 3d. less.

Copra prices have risen on the week, though the highest prices touched have not been held. November-December F.M.S. Straits changed up to £28 10s., but has since eased 5s. Marseilles has paid £27 10s. for kiln dried South Sea October-November shipment, while to Rotterdam F.M. Straits same position changed at £27 7s. 6d. Ground nuts continue firm, with old crop Nigerian done up to £24, and New crop November-December to £24, and new crop November-December shipment at £22 2s. 6d. to Marseilles. Undecorticated Rufisque continues scarce up to January shipment, and £17 is unsuccessfully bid for December-January to Mediterranean. Nut oils firmer at slightly higher rates, this also applying to refined oils.

THE USE OF THE KNIFE.

"The use of the knife is all too prevalent in this part of the country," said Mr. C. Kenny, acting District Justice, at Glenamaddy District Court, when awarding £10 damages to Thomas Petit, who sued Matthew Moore for having stabbed him with a pocket knife in the course of a quarrel.

In Portadown market last Saturday pork sold at 60s. per cwt., a decrease of 3s. on the previous week's price.

IRISH LIVE STOCK PRICES AT A GLANCE.

Appended is a table of prices obtained at certain Irish fairs and Dublin Cattle Market last week. It is compiled by our Agricultural Correspondent for the purpose of showing how values compare at different centres:—

Market or Fair.	Store Cattle, per cwt. Live Weight.	Fat Cattle, per cwt. Live Weight.	Springers, per Head.	Milch Cows, per Head.	Fat Sheep, per Head.	Lambs, per Head.
Dublin	34/- to 40/-	23/6 to 41/6	£20 to £30	£17 to £25	35/- to 65/-	29/- to 50/-
Belfast		29/3 to 47/-	£19 to £30	£16 to £24	40/- to 60/-	35/- to 54/-
Ballygawley ...	41/- to 43/-	......	£17 to £21	£16 to £20	......	32/6 to 39/6
Castlebar ...	35/- to 39/-	......	£15 10/- to £22	£14 10/- to £18	30/- to 55/-	27/6 to 40/-
Clonroad ...	32/- to 35/-	20/- to 35/-	£16 10/- to £23	£14 to £20	......	......
Comber-Claudy	32 6 to 28/-	......	£14 to £21 10/-	......	......	16/- to 25/-
Dungarvan ...	33/- to 37/-	17/6 to 39/-	£17 10/- to £19 15/-	£16 to £18 15/-	42/- to 60/-	10/- to 50/-
Enniscorthy ...	32/- to 34/-	18/- to 37/-	£15 to £24	£13 to £22	45/- to 72/-	32/- to 45/-
Londonderry...	32/6 to 36/6	......	£14 to £25 10/-	......	......	29/- to 37/6
Mitchelstown...	30/- to 35/-	23/- to 37/-	£16 to £23	£15 to £21	45/- to 60/-	35/- to 44/-
Naas	33/- to 38/-	24/- to 34/6	£13 to £25	£12 to £23	45/- to 57/6	32/- to 42/6
Tullow	33/- to 38/-	36/- to 38/-	£15 to £25	£13 to £22 10/-	32/- to 52/-	25/- to 45/-

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AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREI[illegible] (High Court).—In Court 1. At[illegible] Thompson; Smith v. Byrne. [illegible] Davis (to be mentioned); Na[illegible] Wall; Hoban v. Maher; Moyna[illegible] Great Western Railway and [illegible] O'Grady, decd., Keane v. O'Grady[illegible] Milne, decd., Rudd v. Milne; [illegible] Crean; Nally, decd., Nally v. [illegible] Goodbody v. Patterson; North[illegible] Rogers; Wall v. Bishop of [illegible] and Ford; M'Cabe v. Nixon; O[illegible] Hotel, Ltd. For Tuesday, [illegible] o'clock. Motions—Conheady v. [illegible] Kirkham v. O'Dwyer.
IN COURT 3.—At 11 o'clo[illegible] M'Mullan, at hearing.
IN COURT 2.—Munster and[illegible] v. Lawlor; Leigh v. Hughes; [illegible] (and a notice); M. A. Bonn[illegible] Bonnar; Laffan v. Ryan; C[illegible] Collieries, Ltd.; T. O'Doherty[illegible] O'Doherty; J. Donovan, decd.[illegible] Co's Acts and Thompson's Mo[illegible] [illegible] decd., Mooney v. Von Donop. [illegible] Fermoy Co-operative Agricultur[illegible] Costelloe, M'Connell's Trusts. [illegible] Irwin v. Leavy; Fagan v. Rusk[illegible] Wright v. Eagle; Conan v. N[illegible] Green. For Tuesday, 25th Oc[illegible] High Right Society v. Bray U.D.[illegible]
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MAISTIR NA hARD-CHUI[illegible] High Court).—Before the Maste[illegible] of Course. Summary Summ[illegible] same v. Nugent; Burland v. [illegible] v. Foley; Gerty v. O'Farrell; [illegible] Ltd., v. Murphy; Lindsay [illegible] Thompson. On Notice—M'Al[illegible] v. Goodman; Breen v. Kirwa[illegible]
OIFIG AN SCRUDORA [illegible] The Examiner's Office. Mr. [illegible] 11 o'clock. Receiver's Accou[illegible] Kelly. At 11.30 o'clock. M[illegible] vouch.
OIFIG AN MHAISTIR-M[illegible] Taxing Master's Office).—Maste[illegible] Experts Taxations—Devonshir[illegible] Lenox v. Mark, White and [illegible] namara, at 11 o'clock—O'Sulli[illegible] and O'Sullivan; Watkins v. K[illegible] Shell v. Quinn, J. J. Kearn[illegible] and Kennedy; National Land [illegible] Collieries, Ltd., J. Ryan; gar[illegible] and Co.
BANKRUPTCY.—Before th[illegible] —Forrest, vouch account, T. [illegible] labts and vouch, D. and T. [illegible] Smyth and Son; Crossley, sett[illegible] arrangement, account comp. [illegible] M'Laughlin, vouch account, [illegible] vouch migee account, do.; [illegible] Maher; Farrell, reference, Mah[illegible] vouch account.
IRISH LAND COMMISS[illegible] bers, at 93 Merrion square, [illegible] at 11 o'clock—Margarita S. [illegible] fore Mr. Longfield, at 11 [illegible] vouch. Before Mr. Leet, a[illegible] Mahon (S. 304)—discharge ru[illegible]
AN CHUIRT CHUARD[illegible] Before the Circuit Ju[illegible] Court No. 3, at [illegible] from District Court—Fox v. [illegible] Antiona—Bermingham v. Do[illegible] Byrne v. White; White v. [illegible] Darke, Moran v. M'Kinnly[illegible] Clifford v. Johnston; Curis [illegible]

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FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Monday, October 24.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS UACHTARACH (The Supreme Court).—At 11 o'clock For Hearing—Leen v. the President of the Executive Council and ors., part heard; Mims v. Franks; Skehan v. Maher.

AN CLARATHOIR DO'N PRIMH-BHREITHEAMH (The Registrar to the Chief Justice).—Before the Registrar, at 11.30 o'clock—Summons, Carruthers and Gamble; statement, J. Tierney. Before Dr. Webb, Assistant Registrar—Walsh, minors; Doherty, minors. Before Mr. Magahan, at 11 o'clock—Vch. ac., Barrington and Son.

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS (The High Court).—In Court 1. At 11 o'clock—Coulter v. Thompson; Smith v. Byrne. Motions—Fitzgerald v. Davis (to be mentioned); National Bank, Ltd., v. Wall; Hoban v. Maher; Moynagh v. Maguire; Midland Great Western Railway and Gore. Summonses—O'Grady, decd., Keane v. O'Grady; Honan v. O'Sullivan; Milne, decd., Rudd v. Milne; Blake, decd., Blake v. Crean; Nally, decd., Nally v. Nally; Hoban, decd., Goodbody v. Patterson; Northern Banking Co. v. Rogers; Wall v. Bishop of Limerick; S.L.A. and [illegible] Act [illegible] Acts and Ford; M'Cabe v. Nixon; Co's Act and Rosapenna Hotel, Ltd. For Tuesday, 25th October, at 11 o'clock. Motions—Conheady v. Conheady (part heard); Kirkham v. O'Dwyer.

IN COURT 3.—At 11 o'clock. On Notice—Roe v. M'Mullan, at hearing.

IN COURT 2.—Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Lawlor; Leigh v. Hughes; Garnett v. De Boissiere (and a notice); M. A. Bonnar, decd., Bonnar v. Bonnar; Laffan v. Ryan; Co's Acts and Wolfhill Collieries, Ltd.; T. O'Doherty, decd., O'Doherty v. O'Doherty; J. Donovan, decd., Walsh v Donovan; Co's Acts and Thompson's Motor Car Co., Ltd.; J. Costello, decd., [illegible] v. Costello; M. H. Gannon, decd., Mooney v. Von Donop. Petition—Co's Acts and Fermoy Co-operative Agricultural Society; Costelloe v. Costelloe; M'Connell's Trusts. Summary Summonses—Irwin v. Leary; Fagan v. Russell; Donnellan v. Walsh; Wright v. Eagle; Conan v. Nuttall; Ulster Bank v. Green. For Tuesday, 25th October. Action—Performing Right Society v. Bray U.D. Council.

CIRCUIT APPEALS.—Before the Special Commissioners, at Dublin Castle, at 11 o'clock, in Court No. 4. Eastern Circuit—Russell v. Barber, at hearing. Midland Circuit—M'Cormack v. Shanaher. Cork Circuit—Sheehan v. Murphy. South-Western Circuit—Monteagle v. O'Brien. Eastern Circuit—O'Meara v. Kelly; Carroll v. Kenoe. Forrestal v. Cope. Southern Circuit. Reardon v. Fitzgerald.

TRIALS BY JURY.—The Jurors summoned to the Michaelmas Sittings for Trials by Jury on this (Monday) morning, 24th October, are required to attend at 11 o'clock, at the Law Courts, the Castle, Dublin, in Court No. 6, when the panel will be called over; and all Jurors not answering their names when called will be fined.

In Court 6, at 11 o'clock. Jury—The Irish People's Assurance Co. v. the City of Dublin Assurance Co. and ors. (defamation); Gough v. Scanlon (assault); White and anor. v. Maison Prost, Ltd. (negligence); Clarke v. Finn and ors. (personal injuries). For Tuesday, 25th October. Jury—Loughran v. Toft and Sons and Co. (1924), Ltd. (personal injuries). Non-Juries—M'Menamin v. Harvey and anor. (breach of contract); Newman v. the National Land Bank, Ltd., and anor. (money had).

CIRCUIT APPEALS.—Before the Special Commissioners, at Dublin Castle, at 11 o'clock, in Court 7. Cases Specially Fixed—Burke v Burke; McNally v. Donnelly; Fahy and anor. v. Flannery and ors. Western Circuit—Corless v. Morris; Hynes v. Galway Board of Health; Lyons v. Diskin; Diskin v. Lyons. Cork Circuit—Crowley v. Crowley; Irish Land Commission and Hurley v. Donovan and Hurley. Western Circuit—Tully v. Fahy; Joyce v. Giblin; White v. Foy; Moran v. Cantley. Northern Circuit—Burford v. Travers; Irish Land Commission v. Kilduff. Dublin City and County Circuit—Weir v Roberts; Anderson v. G. N. Railways; Trustees Edward Yacht Club v. Dublin County Council; Cruice v. Crean; North Dublin District Labourers Order v. Ringwood.

MAISTIR NA hARD-CHUIRTE (the Master of the High Court).—Before the Master, at 11 o'clock. Motions of Course. Summary Summonses—Collins v. Casey; same v. Nugent; Burland v. Trayer; Spillane and Co. v. Foley; Gerty v. O'Farrell; Sharp v. Eppel; Morris, Ltd., v. Murphy; Lindsay v Jones; Solomon v. Thompson. On Notice—M'Alinden v. M'Alinden; Daly v. Goodman; Breen v. Kirwan; O'Connor v. O'Connor.

OIFIG AN SCRUDORA (the Examiners' Office).—The Examiner's Office. Mr. Dickinson (Room 74), at 11 o'clock. Receiver's Account—Peter A. Sinnott, H. Kelly. At 11.30 o'clock. Mr. Cruise—Doyle v. Doyle, vouch.

OIFIG AN MHAISTIR-MHEASAIREACHTA (the Taxing Master's Office).—Master Denning, at 11 o'clock. Exparte Taxations—Devonshire v. Hynes, A. Carroll; Lemon v. Mark, White and Meares. Master Macnamara, at 11 o'clock—O'Sullivan v. Murphy, Downing and O'Sullivan; Watkins v. Kettlewell, Gore and Grimes; Sheil v. Quinn, J. J. Kearns; Connell, decd., Collins and Kennedy; National Land Bank, Ltd., v. Wolfhill Collieries, Ltd., J. Ryan; same v. same, J. O'Connor and Co.

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Registrar, at 11 o'clock—Forrest, vouch account, T. J. Graham; Pitman, prove debts and vouch, D. and T. Fitzgerald; Flynn, do., W. Smyth and Son; Crossley, settle title, Collins and Son; arrangement, account comp., Fullerton and Doyle; M'Laughlin, vouch account, D. and T. Fitzgerald; do., vouch mtgee. account, do.; Laing, prove debt., D. C. Maher; Farrell, reference, Malley and Co.; arrangement, vouch account.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—Examiner's Chambers, at 93 Merrion square. Before Mr. Jeffrey White, at 11 o'clock—Margarita S. Shiel (S. 79)—vouch. Before Mr. Longfield, at 11 o'clock—Norcott's Tithes—vouch. Before Mr. Leet, at 3 o'clock—James MacMahon (S. 304)—discharge rulings and settle schedule.

AN CHUIRT CHUARDA (the Circuit Court).—Before the Circuit Judge, at Dublin Castle, Court No. 5, at 11 o'clock. Appeal from District Court—Fox v. Parkins (appellant). Civil Actions—Bermingham v. Donnelly; Byrne v. Collins; Byrne v. White; White v. Byrne (rent application); Burke, Moran v. M'Kinnly; Crodell v. M'Govern; Clifford v. Johnston; Coyle v. Marchant; Campbell v. Cashell. Before the Assistant Circuit Judge, at Dublin Castle, at 10.45 o'clock—Johnston v. Moloney (for judgment). At 11 o'clock. To be Mentioned—Rent Act Applications—Steede v. Duncan; Monks v. Chubbs; Chubbs v. Monks. Civil Actions—Grimes v. O'Hare; same v. same (ejectment); Howard v. Corporation of Dublin; Hickey v. Irish Bill Posting Co.; Connell v. Alliance Gas Co.; Hickey v. same; Hughes v. Fitzgerald; Murphy v. Ennis (Rent Act application); Hughes v. Yodaiken; Hogan v. Jones; Jenkinson v. Browne. Before the Assistant Circuit Judge, at Dublin Castle. For Tuesday, 25th October, at 11 o'clock. County and City of Dublin—Criminal Cases.

AN CLARATHOIR CONTAE (the County Registrar), at 10.30 o'clock—Kenny v. O'Reilly and anor. At 12 noon—Lawless, minors; Free v. Chase. At 3 o'clock—Grimes v. Taylor; McGrath and ors.

COURT OF THE RAILWAY TRIBUNAL.—For Wednesday, 26th October. The Council Chamber, City Hall, Dublin, at 11 o'clock—Further consideration of the Great Southern Railways Company's [illegible] conditions of carriage to be included in the Book of Passenger Train Traffic Regulations.

ST. MARY MAGDALEN HOME, DUBLIN.

Appealing for contributions for St. Mary Magdalen Home, Gloucester street, Dublin, the Rev. Joachim O'Sullivan, O.P., at the Church of St. Saviour's, Dominick street, Dublin, recalled the parable of the Good Samaritan, and said that much was expected from those who were rich. The story of the Samaritan might be a story or it might be a fact. It was open to conjecture; but the lesson taught by the parable was eternal. The attitude of the Levite and the priest was condemned; God forbid that they should take up that attitude.

The attitude of the Samaritan was extolled and held up to others as an example. God expected nothing from those who had nothing. If they had little they should give a little, and if they had much they should give abundantly. In every land there were many in need, distress and in misery. They could not answer the call of all, but they should not allow the call that came to their own doors to go unheeded.

CARRICK-ON-SUIR POST OFFICE.

Mr. Thomas Power, Chief Clerk at Carrick-on-Suir Post Office, has been appointed Postmaster there. Miss J. Mulcahy, Postmistress, who is resigning on pension, is an aunt of Mr. Richard Mulcahy, Minister for Local Government. The Mulcahy family have been connected with Carrick-on-Suir Post Office for over 50 years.

THE LATE MR. FRANCIS JOSEPH CRUMMY.

The death of Mr. F. J. Crummy, Model Schools, Marlborough street, Dublin, took place on last Thursday, at his residence, 17 St. Aidan's Park road, Marino, Dublin, after two months' illness. The interment was at Glasnevin on Saturday morning, after Requiem Mass at the Fairview Church.

The officiating clergy were the Revs. Father Murphy, Father Fitzpatrick and Father Fitzgibbon.

The chief mourners were:—Mrs. Crummy (widow), Mrs. F. Crummy, Sergeant Frank Crummy, Guard Malcolm Crummy, Dundalk; Leo, Brian, Patrick, Charles and Jack (sons); Sarah and Mary (daughters), James Crummy, Belfast (brother); Miss Emma Crummy and Mrs. James Loughrey, Belfast (sisters); Mr. Edward Kerr, Belfast, and Mr. James McAllister, Larne (brothers-in-law); Guard James McNeill (nephew), Private John Loughrey, Gormanstown Camp, and Bernard Fyfe (cousins).

Among the general public present were:—Colonel Joseph O'Reilly, representing President Cosgrave; Michael Hayes, Speaker of the Dail; Fionan Lynch, Minister for Fisheries; Seamus N. Dolan, Parliamentary Secretary to the Department of Industry and Commerce; Batt O'Connor, T.D.; P. S. Doyle, T.D.; Dr. Hennessy, T.D.; J. Walter Beckett, T.D.; Martin Conlan, T.D.; Eamonn Cooney, T.D.; P. O'Driscoll, Liam Burke, General Secretary of Cumann na nGaedheal; Major-General O'Daly, Seamus O h-Aodha, Mrs. Collins-O'Driscoll, T.D., and Mr. John Ryan, Peace Commissioner, representing the Standing Committee of Cumann na nGaedheal; Denis McCulloch, ex-T.D.; Eugene Kavanagh, Colonel J. McLoughlin, representing Senator McLoughlin; Commandant McAllister, Commandant Rooney, Lieutenant Hugh O'Neill, Lieutenant C. Trodden, Lieutenant McDevitt, Lieutenant Timoney, Colonel Sean Cusack, Commandant P. Murphy, Lieutenant H. P. Kennedy, Lieutenant M. McElhatton, Hugh McGlennon, W. G. Millar, J. Simpson, M. McCaughey and Daniel McDevitt.

WOMAN AND HER HOME.

A LETTER TO PAULINE.

DEAR PAULINE,—I have at last decided that the time for autumn coats is over, and warmer clothing for out-of-doors must be purchased right now.

Tweed, tweed, and still more tweed is the cry of to-day, both for jumper suits and top coats. For motoring thick tweed coats collared and cuffed in leather, with tight fitting hats of the latter, are not only comfortable, but serviceable and smart.

Little leather buttonholes are worn with tweeds; for, although one reads that flowers are not so fashionable as last season, yet, to judge by the shop windows, more novel and ingeniously made bouquets are appearing every day.

I saw such a dainty little dressing jacket in Grafton street the other afternoon. Curiously enough, I was just wondering what little present I could bring to Maud, who is having starvation treatment in a nursing home at the moment. Grapes, which seem to be the inevitable gift for our sick friends (and which usually are consumed by every-one except the invalid) were in her case out of the question, so I jumped at the chance of purchasing this little negligée. It is made of cream Shetland wool, lined in soft silk and edged in the softest of white swansdown. Maud was charmed, and she certainly looked very sweet in it. Shetland is warmer, and yet just as dainty as the usual crêpe-de-chine or georgette dressing jacket.

After leaving Maud we went to see Ben Hur. This picture, which attracted such big crowds in London, has been equally successful in Dublin. Ramon Navarro, who plays "Ben Hur," is a musician as well as a star film actor. He hopes to make his *début* as a concert singer next year.

Several invitation cards to Hallow-e'en parties have made their appearance already. I am helping Joan to organise hers, so I can give you inside information about her plans.

According to Scottish superstition, the 31st of October is the day when witches, devils, fairies and other imps of earth and air hold their annual holiday, and tradition says that people born on this date have commanding powers over these spirits, and also the gift of second sight!

But to get back to Joan's party. She has decided that as barm brack is inevitable, hers will be home made, and fully stocked with all kinds of lucky charms, which the shops sell for this purpose. Threepenny bits, little horse shoes, rings, of course; thimble for the less lucky, and anything else she can think of between this and then.

The following is her recipe for barm brack:—1½ lbs. flour, ½ lb. butter, ½ lb. sugar, 3 eggs, ½ pint of milk, ½ oz. yeast, ¾ lb. currants and raisins, 1½ ozs. candied peel, grated rind of a lemon. Method—Beat the yeast with a teaspoonful of sugar until liquid; melt the butter and add the milk, making the mixture luke-warm; pour over the yeast and add this and the eggs to the flour, mixing it well with a wooden spoon to a soft dough. Set in a warm place to rise for two hours (until it is twice its original size). Add the fruit, candied peel, sugar, and all the already mentioned miniature lucky charms, which should be wrapped separately in butter paper. Put in a greased tin, allow again to rise in a warm place for half an hour. Bake in a moderately hot oven for about 1½ hours.

This sounds like a lot of trouble when bracks are sold complete with ring in all the confectioners' shops. But, of course, the variety of the home made cake will furnish far greater amusement for the party.

The table decorations will comprise crimson-hued leaves, grapes (purple and green), nuts in full variety, russet and rosy-cheeked apples, and, to add an old-world touch, the electric light is to be switched off and substituted by amber shaded candles in silver stands.

As there is no night in the year more popular for fireside revelries, the party should be very easily "run" from the hostess's point of view. But Joan is taking the precaution of having the more "watery" games arranged in the kitchen. Lead melting and diving for apples, though very amusing, do not add to the life of the drawingroom carpet. Joan got this "Kitchen Party" idea from her copy of the engraving of Daniel Maclise's "Snap Apple Night or All Hallow Eve." The engraving of this picture was extremely popular with our grandparents, but few, looking at it to-day, are aware that almost every figure in it is a portrait of some celebrated character of the period. Thus is easily recognised Lady Morgan, authoress of "The Wild Irish Girl," who is kneeling by the diving board; Sir Walter Scott, Tommy Moore, "Father Prout," and Maclise's two sisters.

And now, having read all about Joan's preparations, I wonder would you care to come to her party if I got an invitation for you. All kinds of information as to future happenings will be given away gratis, so if you want to find out if your sweetheart is true, or whether you will cross deep water, or get lots of money in the near future, just send me a line and I will arrange it for you.

We must get busy in the next few weeks with our Christmas letters and presents for abroad.

The Post Office Christmas postage list is not yet available, but an official, who seems to think that I have friends everywhere, has given me the following. The times are those of actual transmission, and do not include the time occupied in collection and delivery:

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Adelaide	30	Monte Video	20-25
Auckland	36-41	Panama	14-18
Baghdad	25	Perth	27
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Brisbane	33	Rio de Janeiro	16-21
Buenos Aires	20-26	West Indies	14-21
Calcutta	18	San Francisco	11-13
Cape Town	18	Shanghai	33-34
Colombo	17-19	Shanghai (via Siberia)	21
Fiji	30-31	Sierra Leone	12-13
Fremantle	27	Singapore	23-24
Havana	11-14	Sydney	32
Hong Kong	25-32	Tokio (via Suez)	40
Honolulu	18-20	Tokio (via N. America)	25-33
Jamaica	14-17	Trinidad	16-21
Johannesburg	20	Vancouver	12-15
Madras	18	New Zealand	32-41
Mauritius	27-38	Winnipeg	10-12
Melbourne	31	Yokohama	23-41
Mexico	12-14		
Mombasa	19-25		

People abroad look forward so much to their Christmas mail that it is up to those at home to see that they are not disappointed through carelessness. Home made presents are always more acceptable than the bought article, but sometimes it is "kinder" to allow the shops to do the catering. Dublin shops are most helpful in relieving the customers of all trouble with the Customs officials, and this in itself is a great recommendation to view their stocks before making up our minds about the gifts we intend to send away.—Yours, with love,

MARY.

Dark smoke-grey woollen cloth has been chosen for this smart Coat, with its excellent tailoring.

HOME FIRES.

"Stay, stay at home, my heart, and rest:
Home-keeping hearts are happiest;
And they that wander they know not where
Are full of sorrow and full of care."

To most women there comes a day when, with a peculiar insistence, those old-time verses ring in our ears.

Every one and every thing in the home circle repeats parrot-like—so it seems—the same lines, and oftentimes an element of reproach underlies the words.

Home life had seemed so prosaic; we had wearied of the eternal routine; the atmosphere of smug security—isolation from outside turmoil—had stifled our energies; or so we imagined. We had waxed impatient, and, flinging aside the little everyday duties, had let the home fires die down and gone forth to take our part—our every important part (or so it seemed)—as stokers of the larger furnace of worldly affairs.

And whether we performed our duties well or whether ill, so long as we are home women at heart, and women of moderate means, whereby we have been obliged to do without the skilled labour that alone in any way permitted our absence to pass uncounted, so again will come the hour when, stealing back from a much-occupied world, we find the dreariness of an ill-kept grate, neglected duties, making of home but a habitation.

Not that public life—service in the public weal—is to be discounted, but rather that such service be best left to those women who, freed of essentially home duties either by position, money or circumstances, are able to give to such work the qualities desired.

This may not be altogether a palatable truth, but truth it is; and probably these other women, were it feasible, would willingly change places with the home women.

A woman of fast reputation for the iron-clad quality of her public character, a woman who wielded for many years with hand of steel the destinies of men and women of her own party, once, in a moment of abandonment, burying her face in a great bunch of perfumy wallflower taken into her office, lifted her head from the flowers, to say, with tears in her eyes: "If I ever get out of this public life, I will never leave home again."

The moment of abandonment passed, as such moments do pass; but for one brief space the home woman had fought for expression with the ironclad woman of worldly affairs.

The other day some of us, looking through the *Irish Times* for those gem-like paragraphs dotted about the paper culled from the speeches of persons of repute, may have seen this one from the wisdom of Mr. J. A. E. Cairns:—"Youth is supposed to have lost its way, but I sometimes wonder if the older folk have let the home fires burn low."

Have we?

We can widen our home circle; keep open hearth and open heart and, as far as possible, open purse, to assist others to carry on; but our place may well be at home.

D. H.

HOW TO MAKE A CLOTH RAFFIA HAT.

Materials: A Buckram shape to suit the wearer; 1½ yards pale green raffia cloth; a small bundle each of artificial silk raffia in darker green, lemon yellow, and darker yellow. (This may now be bought in bundles of about half an ounce.)

First cover the shape with raffia cloth; cut out a circular piece to cover top of crown; place in position on shape, and tack. Next cut out two pieces to fit over and underneath brim. (This is most easily done by laying the shape on a piece of paper, marking with a pencil the outline of brim, cutting out around this line, and then cutting away the centre where the head comes.)

Allow turnings at inside and outside edges, cut out the two pieces from material and place them together right sides inside, and machine together along outside edge; turn right side out and draw into position over brim of hat, and tack in place around base of crown. Next from raffia cloth cut out strip, on the bias if possible, sufficiently long and wide to cover exposed side of crown; turn in raw edges, place in position on shape so that it slightly overlaps the two pieces already on shape, and neatly secure in several places all round. The hat itself is now complete.

For trimming, mark with pencil on centre-front of hat a spray of flat flowers, such as daisies—(these may be traced on from a transfer design if preferred)—and with the green raffia work in stems and leaves; next, with the darker yellow raffia, work in the background flowers, and with the lemon yellow work in the foreground flowers. A few stitches of black raffia worked in centre of flowers will greatly improve the effect.

Other delightful shades, such as sand, nut-brown, and strawberry raffia cloth, may be chosen instead of green; and, instead of the flowers suggested above, a cluster of fruit, which looks especially well in raffia, worked in natural colours; or, newest of all trimmings, a spray of leaves in autumn tints on either sand or nut-brown raffia cloth would give charming effect.

Simple and fascinating to make, this hat looks like fine Bankok straw, and is especially suitable for autumn wear.

W. M.

FOR THE COOK.

MACARONI A LA TOMATE.

Ingredients—3 large tomatoes, 1 oz. butter, 2 ozs. macaroni, seasoning, ½ oz. cooked ham.

Method—Cut the tomatoes in slices and cook them in butter. When tender, rub through a hair sieve and season. Boil the macaroni in salted water till tender. Strain. Pour cold water over and cut in one-inch lengths. Cut ham in shreds and add it with the macaroni to the tomato purée. Heat thoroughly. Serve in an au gratin dish, sprinkle over with parsley.

MILDURA CAKE.

Ingredients—¾ lb. Australian currants, ¾ lb. Australian sultanas, ¼ lb. mixed peel, ½ lb. Australian butter, ½ lb. sugar, 10 oz. flour, 4 eggs, 2 oz. almonds.

Method—Grease and line a tin 7 inches across. Rinse the fruit in warm water and dry in a cloth. Place it on a tin in a slow oven and leave the door ajar while it is drying. Cut the peel into short strips. Pour boiling water on the almonds and slip off the skins, putting the almonds in cold water. Cream the butter till very soft. Add the sugar and beat till white and creamy. See that the oven is the right heat—it should be moderately hot to start with. Add the eggs one at a time, beating each one well in before adding the next. Stir in the flour lightly. Put into the tin and hollow out the centre a little to make the cake rise flat. Sprinkle the almonds over the top and bake in a moderate oven. Time—One hour and a quarter if baked in a wide tin, but longer if baked in a narrow one.

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PICKLED ONIONS.

Ingredients—Half peck of pickling onions, one cupful salt, one quart vinegar, two ounces whole allspice, one ounce pepper-corns, one ounce ginger-root.

Method—Peel the onions, sprinkle with the salt, cover with water, and let stand overnight. Then drain. In the morning add the spices to the vinegar, simmer for ten minutes, cool, and pour over the onions. If the latter are not entirely covered, a little more spiced vinegar should be added.

MARY GWYNNE HOWELL.

HELPFUL HINTS.

Ink stains on linen can be removed by soaking several times with turpentine. Wash with warm water after and dry in the sun.

Grease stains on black cloth can be cleaned successfully by washing with borax and hot water. Rinse in cold water.

Oilcloth will give an excellent polish if rubbed with a cloth dipped in a mixture of equal parts of linseed oil and turpentine, with a little vinegar added.

Hot vinegar sponged on glossy serge will remove the shine.

To renovate ostrich feathers sprinkle with salt and shake in front of the fire. Curl with whalebone or a smooth stick.

Burns should be covered at once with linen steeped in sweet oil and kept moist until well.

A lemon well rubbed into brass ware makes it clear and bright. Pour boiling water over afterwards and polish with a soft dry cloth.

White paint can be made to look new and glossy by washing with hot water in which onions have been boiled and a little soap added.

Patent leather should be warmed slightly before being cleaned. A little cream rubbed in makes it smooth and bright.

Lamp wicks should be dried before putting in, and they should never be coiled in the bottom of the bowl.

Rust will disappear from fireirons that are rubbed well with ammonia. Dry with powdered brick-bath or ashes.

To remove furred coating from a kettle boil with water to which a little sal ammoniac has been added.

P. P.

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BROADCASTING.

TO-DAY.

DUBLIN (2RN)—319.1 Metres.

1.30-2.0 p.m.—Weather Report and Gramophone Recital. 6.0—Gramophone Record Recital. 6.15—Uair i dTir na n-Og: May Mortell, Godith Huggard, F. J. McCormick. 7.0—Gramophone Record Recital. 7.30—Gaedhilg: Mairead Ní Ghráda, M.A. 8.0—Joseph Schofield ('cello) and Mary Maguire (mezzo-soprano), 'Cello and Vocal Recital: 'Cello, Ave Maria (Schubert-Piatti); Solos, Gavotte (Michaud); Songs, Minuet de Martini (Wekerlin), L'amour s'envole (Wekerlin), Chanson de Florian (Godard); 'Cello, Reverie (Dunkler); Solos, Madrigal (Squire), Caprice (Maccunn). 8.30—Station Orchestra: Request Music. 8.45—W. A. Manahan (tenor), Ballads Old and New: The Last Watch (Pinsuti), O Vision Entrancing (Goring Thomas), Mary (Goodhart), Through All the Days To Be (B. M. Hope), Bonnie Wee Thing (L. Lehmann), Nightfall at Sea (M. Phillips). 9.0—Seamus De Chlanndiolain 7 Máighread Ní Annagáin: Lecture on Irish Music. 9.30—Mary O'Hea and Company: A one act play, "The Woman Juror" (E. F. Parr). Jenefer Canynge, Mary O'Hea; Mrs. Deering, Nora Carey; Michael Deering, Victor Harris; John Morgan, J. A. Hand. 10.0—Ceilidh Trio. 10.30—Weather Forecast and close down.

BELFAST (2BE)—306.1 Metres (980 Kc.).

12.0-1.0 and 2.30—London. 4.30—Pianoforte Jazz by Fred Rogers, Station Dance Band. 5.0—London. 5.15—Children's Hour. 6.0-6.30—London. 7.45—Station Orchestra, Leven and Childs (entertainers). 8.45—Norman Long (a song, a story and a piano). 9.0—London. 9.35—Orchestra. 9.47—"The Reed in the Wood," a Romance by Edwin Lewis. 10.7—Orchestra. 10.30-11.0—London.

LONDON (2LO)—361.4 Metres (830 Kc.) and DAVENTRY (5XX)—1,604.3 Metres (187 Kc.).

10.30 a.m. (Daventry only)—Time Signal, Greenwich; Weather Forecast. 11.0 (Daventry only)—The Daventry Quartet and Hazel Dawn (soprano). 12.0—A Morning Concert. The Daventry Quartet and Muriel Elliott (pianoforte), Morlais Morgan (baritone). 1.0-2.0—An Organ Recital by R. T. Cook. 2.30—Miss Rhoda Power: "Boys and Girls of the Middle Ages—The Friars in the School House." 3.0—Great Stories told by J. C. Stobart and Mary Somerville—V., "The Story of Odysseus." 3.15—The Dansant. The London Radio Dance Band, directed by Sidney Firman and Doris and Elsie Waters (songs at the piano). Will Kings (entertainer), William Scott (mouth organ). 5.0—Miss L. M. Yates: "A Glimpse of a South African Home." 5.15—The Children's Hour. 6.0—The Daventry Quartet. 6.20—Girls and Boys' Clubs Bulletin. 6.30—Time Signal, Greenwich; Weather Forecast, First General News Bulletin. 6.45—The Daventry Quartet. 7.0—Mr. Desmond MacCarthy: Literary Criticism. 7.15—The Foundations of Music. Haydn Piano Sonatas, played by E. Kendall-Taylor. 7.25—M. E. M. Stephan: French Reading. 7.45—Mr. W. A. Darlington: "The Enchanted Wood." 8.0—The Wireless Military Band, conducted by B. Walton O'Donnell. Cuthbert Smith (baritone). 8.3—Cuthbert Smith. 8.32—Cuthbert Smith. 8.42—Band. 9.0—Weather Forecast, Second General News Bulletin. 9.15—Mr. Douglas Woodruff: "On being heard and not seen." 9.30—Local Announcements (Daventry only). Shipping Forecast. 9.35—Chamber Music. Elsie Suddaby (soprano). The Budapest Trio: Nicolas Roth (violin), George Roth ('cello), Andreas Petri (pianoforte). 10.0—Elsie Suddaby. 10.15—The Budapest Trio. 10.30-11.0—A Pianoforte Recital by Irene de Marik. 11.0-12.0 (Daventry only)—Dance Music: Kettner's Five, directed by Geoffrey Gelder, from Kettner's Restaurant.

DAVENTRY EXPERIMENTAL (5GB)—491.8 Metres (610 Kc.).

3.0—Paul Moulder's Rivoli Theatre Orchestra, from the Rivoli Theatre. 4.0—A Military Band Concert, from Birmingham. The City of Birmingham Police Band, conducted by Richard Wassell. Percy Manchester (tenor). 4.25—Will Gardner (entertainer), Margery Phillips (contralto). 5.0—Percy Manchester. 5.25—Margery Phillips, Will Gardner, Band. 5.45—The Children's Hour (from Birmingham). 6.30—Time Signal, Greenwich; Weather Forecast, First General News Bulletin. 6.45—The Victor Olof Sextet. W. E. Turner (tenor). 7.10—W. E. Turner. Sextet. 7.35—W. E. Turner. 7.45—Sextet. 8.0—Popular Chamber Music, from Birmingham. 8.25—Bertram Newstead (baritone). 8.35—Quartet. 9.0—Variety. Talbot O'Farrell, Pursall and Stanbury (in harmony), Beatrice de Holthoir (character sketches), Clapham and Dwyer (a spot of bother). 10.0—Weather Forecast, Second General News Bulletin. 10.15-11.15—Dance Music: Kettner's Five, directed by Geoffrey Gelder, from Kettner's Restaurant.

BOURNEMOUTH (6BM)—326.1 Metres. (920 Kc.).

12.0-1.0—Gramaphone Records. 2.30—London Programme relayed from Daventry. 5.0—Miss A. K. Longfield, "Irish Sea Ports in the Fifteenth and Sixteenth Centuries." 5.15—The Children's Hour. 6.0—London Programme relayed from Daventry. 6.30—S.B. from London (9.30 Local Announcements). 9.35—French Ballet Music. 9.55—Gaby Valle (soprano). 10.3—Octet. 10.15—Gaby Valle. 10.23—Octet. 10.35—Gaby Valle. 10.43-11.0—Octet: Ballet Music to "Herodias" (Massenet).

CARDIFF (5WA)—353 Metres (850 Kc.).

12.0-1.0—London Programme relayed from Daventry. 2.30—Broadcast to Schools: The Rev. F. W. Moxhay, "The Land of the Maple Leaf—Journeying West." 3.0—An Afternoon Concert; the Station Orchestra, conducted by Warwick Braithwaite; Phyllis Newman (mezzo-soprano). 4.45—Mr. F. J. Harries, "Thomas Bowdler and Swansea." 5.0—Orchestra. 5.15—The Children's Hour. 6.0—London Programme relayed from Daventry. 6.30—S.B. from London (9.30 Local Announcements). 10.30-11.0—"A Disturber of Traffic," a Play in Three Acts, by Herbert Swears.

MANCHESTER (2ZY)—384.6 Metres. 780 K.C.

12.0-1.0—Gramaphone Records. 2.30—London Programme relayed from Daventry. 3.0—Broadcast to Schools. 3.20—Speeches at the Opening Ceremony of the Fourth Manchester Wireless Exhibition. 4.0—Orchestral Music, from the Piccadilly Picture Theatre. 5.0—Mr. Robert Roberts, "Producing a Play." 5.15—The Children's Hour.

LIVERPOOL (6LV)—297 Metres. 1,010 Kc.

12.0-1.0—Gramaphone Recital by Moses Baritz: "Glimpses of Great Composers—VI., George Frederick Handel." 4.0—Reece's Dance Band, directed by Edward West, from the Parker street Café Ballroom. 5.0—Kate Lovell, "Rain." 5.15—The Children's Hour. 6.0—London Programme relayed from Daventry. 6.30-11.0—S.B. from London (9.30 Local Announcements).

NEWCASTLE (5NO)—312.5 Metres. 960 Kc.

12.0-2.0—London. 2.30—Broadcast to Schools. 3.0—London. 4.0—Music from Coxon's New Gallery Restaurant. 5.0—London. 5.15—Children's Hour. 6.0—Station Octet. 6.20—Radio Bulletin. 6.30-11.0—London.

GLASGOW (5SC)—405.4 Metres (740 Kc.).

12.0-1.0—Gramaphone Records. 3.15—Dance Music from the Plaza. 4.0—Wireless Quintet. Jean Knox (contralto). 5.0—Miss J. B. N. Paterson, "Popular Errors in Bringing Up Children." 5.15—Children's Hour. 5.58—Weather Forecast for Farmers. 6.0—May Guy (soprano). 6.30—London. 7.45—"The Chink and the Child"; a Grand Opera in One Act, founded on the Story by Thomas Burke; Music by Walford Hyden. 9.0—London. 9.35-11.0—Station Symphony Orchestra, conducted by Herbert A. Carruthers, Joseph Farrington (baritone), Parry Jones (tenor), William Anderson (bass).

Result of Government TYPISTS' EXAM. held April and July, 1927.

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Miss F. M. Mackey, 15 Church street, Bushmills, Co. Antrim.

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RELIGION AGAIN.

FERMANAGH SCHOOL SCHEME DIFFICULTY.

The difficulty of religion has arisen in connection with the Fermanagh Regional Education Committee's scheme of rebuilding, amalgamating and repairing schools throughout the county.

At the monthly meeting of the Committee it was suggested by Colonel Barton that they never would get the Roman Catholic schools under their authority, and Mr. A. Anderson declared that some managers would rather have their school buildings in a bad state than let them come under a School Committee, and would not allow that Committee to provide accommodation. The religious difficulty had also arisen in the matter of amalgamations.

Mr. Anderson said that until they knew clearly their position nothing could be done as regards this scheme, and he proposed that they should adjourn the whole question until the Secretary found out from the managers whether they would be willing to let their schools come under a four and two Committee if grants were made to them to build, repair or alter or extend, and found out from the Ministry whether it was mandatory on them to come under such a Committee if the grants were made.

The motion was passed unanimously.

IRISH DISTRESSED LADIES' FUND.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Irish Distressed Ladies' Fund was held at their office, 6 Merrion square, Dublin, last Friday, Mr. Charles H. Chaytor presiding. Also present:—The Hon. Mrs. Plunket, Lady Moore, Lieutenant-Colonel Baillie, F.S.I., Miss Tottenham, Mr. G. F. Stewart, Madam MacDermot, Miss Bond and Miss Kenny. Lady Arnott wrote regretting not being able to be present.

The pension list for the month of November having been submitted, cheques amounting to £66 were ordered to be issued.

The Secretary reported having received £16 1s. from Mrs. Tottenham, of Mount Callery; £19 6s. 6d. from Miss Boyle, Charlemont place, together with £38 1s. from Miss Nora Magill, Churchtown House, Beaufort, the Honorary Secretaries in Counties Clare, Armagh and Kerry. The thanks of the Committee were ordered to be sent for the kind help afforded to the fund.

James Wilson (66), a well-known farmer, who resided with his wife and family in the townland of Derryneskin, Portadown, died suddenly last Saturday.

The Organising Committee of the annual dance of the Dublin Branch of the L.M.S.
Back Row—J. Atkinson, J. Sherlock, W. Lorrimer, T. J. Phelan, V. Algeo, W. Sandow, B. Daish.
Front Row—Miss Mortell, M. Murray, Mr. McDowell (traffic manager) and Mrs. McDowell, Miss Withers, T. A. Burke.

THE CHURCH OF IRELAND.

The Board of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund met last Thursday, the Chairman (Mr. J. A. Maconchy) presiding. The other members attending were the Dean of Limerick, the Dean of Christ Church, the Dean of Belfast, the Archdeacon of Armagh, the Archdeacon of Dublin, Canon Lockett Ford, Major Wellesley, Captain Carden, Mr. J. R. Scott and Mr. W. A. Ferrar. The Earl of Belmore sent an apology for his absence.

Four cases were investigated. All the clergymen, whose stipends were declared liable to deduction, were enrolled as contributors. Permission to continue membership was granted on revised terms to a member who had undertaken temporary duty in England.

Intimation was received of the deaths of three members and of one annuitant widow.

Claims to annuities at the full rate were admitted in the cases of three widows, and in the case of another widow a claim was admitted at a reduced rate (Section 12). One of the widows was granted also an annuity of £40 from the Derry Diocesan Fund. Notification was received of the death on 20th ult. of an annuitant at £10 from the Kilmore Diocesan Fund.

Two clergymen who had been superannuated, and who were otherwise qualified, were declared to be exempt under Section 21 from further payment to the fund.

Dr. W. Omerod Welply was appointed medical examiner to the fund in the district of Bandon.

Payments were ordered as follow:—Church of Ireland Fund, £3,215 13s. 10d.; various diocesan funds, £530 17s. 3d.

The Board adjourned to the 17th November.

THE METHODIST CHURCH.

The Rev. T. Ferrier Hulme, M.A., D.D., Chairman of the Bristol and Bath District, has just concluded an eleven days' tour in the South of Ireland.

At a meeting of ministers and laymen of the Londonderry District it was decided to form a Young People's Council for the district.

Mrs. Hadden, of Wexford, has presented to the library of Edgehill Theological College, Belfast, a number of valuable books, the property of the late Alderman George Hadden, J.P.

Over a month ago the Rev. S. J. Nabney, Methodist minister, of Gorey, while bathing at Courtown Harbour, Co. Wexford, had a very narrow escape from drowning, and was rescued in an exhausted condition by Guard O'Brien, of the Civic Guards. The members of the Methodist Church in Gorey have presented to Guard O'Brien, in recognition of his bravery and as a mark of their gratitude, a handsome gold watch, gold chain and gold medal.

Tanderagee Church, Co. Armagh, has been re-opened after extensive renovation.

The Rev. R. Lee Cole, M.A., B.D., is the Irish representative on the Committee appointed to consider the question of a new Hymn Book for use in the Methodist churches of Great Britain and Ireland. Mr. Cole will be glad to receive suggestions from any members of the Church as to any hymns in the present book which they think might be either shortened or omitted in the new book, and hymns which ought to be included in the new volume which are not in the one now in use.

UNKNOWN MAN'S INJURIES.

An unknown man, apparently a labourer and about 53 years of age, was knocked down by a motor lorry on the Moy road, near Portadown, last Friday night, sustaining a compound fracture of the skull and of the left leg. He was taken in the lorry to Edward street Police Barracks. From there he was conveyed in a private car to Dr. Hadden's surgery. He was afterwards conveyed in the ambulance to Lurgan Hospital.

In the atom which is shot out from radium we have a fast projectile moving at the rate of 10,000 miles a second.—Sir Ernest Rutherford, O.M.

AN ELABORATE STILL.

ANOTHER CAPTURE BY DONEGAL GUARDS.

At Carrowmore, Glentogher, on the Buncrana side of the road from Derry to Carndonagh, Sergeant Meehan and Guards Cryan and O'Neill, Carndonagh, found a still-house along the bank of a stream on the open hill-side.

The water supply was controlled effectively. A channel, or spout, of wood allowed water to flow in a tiny stream from the hillside to enter the still-house from the back, just under the roof level. A sod placed at the beginning of the wooden channel, when so desired, stopped the flow in that course, and sent it past the house. The wooden spout, going through the "wall," emptied into a storage barrel set in position within the still-house, and the surplus passed out through the house into the larger stream which flowed past below the doorway.

An unusual feature in the equipment found in the still-house was a number of empty Jeyes' fluid tins and a paint tin containing some red lead paint. There was also in the still-house a quantity of turf, a 40-gallon barrel full of wash, made chiefly from a mixture of sugar and grain, and also another "cooler" barrel, besides the water storage barrel. Two hundred yards from the still-house were found a still and still head.

A very remarkable thing was the entire absence of any beaten path, or even of foot-prints approaching the still-house, and the Guards believe that the stillers using the place always came and went by walking in the stream.

The Guards dismantled the still-house, the roof of which was composed of branches of trees, with thatch of rushes, covered all over with loosely scattered heather.

Until the inevitable fixing of the total of reparations occurs, all Europe will be affected by uncertainty.—Mr. Charles E. Mitchell (National City Bank of New York).

The death has occurred at the Central Hospital, Galway, of Mr. Martin Boyle, Bride street, Loughrea, as a result of injuries received last week by being knocked down by a motor lorry at Rathfarn, near Loughrea.

FARMERS' BURDEN.

CLARE COUNCILLOR'S EASY ECONOMICS.

At a meeting of the Clare County Council last Friday, Mr. Matt O'Dea moved the following resolution:—

"That we, the Clare County Council, view with alarm the financial state of the farmers of the county owing to the deplorable fall in the price of cattle, sheep, pigs, and horses. Therefore, we do hereby give six months' notice to the Government, and all other parties in the Dail, that we will not strike a rate of more than 5s. in the £ in April next. Therefore, we request the Government to make due preparation for grants-in-aid to enable the Council to meet their charges."

The resolution did not find favour with the members of the Council, and one of them stated that the ultimate fate of such a resolution was the waste-paper basket. The Chairman pointed out that it was entirely out of order.

At Mr. Kerin's suggestion the resolution was amended to calling the Government's attention to the financial condition of Clare farmers, and requesting that preparations should be made for grants-in-aid to enable the Council to meet their liabilities without being compelled to strike a rate of 5s. in the £ on agricultural land.

The resolution, as amended, was unanimously adopted.

ARABS' AFTER-HOURS DRINK.

An ex-R.I.C. man and two Arabs from a travelling circus were among a number of men found on licensed premises in Carrick-on-Shannon in an after-hours' raid by the local Guards.

At the Carrick-on-Shannon District Court last Saturday it was stated that the Arabs could not be summoned, as they had entered the Six Counties. The others were fined 2s. 6d. each, while the publican—William Healy—who was stated to be a poor man, was fined £1.

There seems to be something wrong with almost everything.—The Rev. Gwilym O. Griffith.

TRIBUTE TO NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING.

Another triumph for newspaper advertising is revealed by the fact that the Fruit Trades' Federation has decided to spend a further £40,000 this winter to popularise fruit-eating throughout the British Isles. The signing of the new contract marks the fourth consecutive year of the "Eat more fruit" campaign, and brings the total expenditure to £200,000—said to be a record for co-operative advertising in this country.

"The campaign is a record in two ways," says Mr. Gordon Boggon, the organiser, in a statement issued to the Press; "for, though we have spent nearly a quarter of a million pounds, the trade has had record returns. During the past three years advertising has turned fruit-eating from a luxury into a national habit, and Board of Trade returns show that over £5,000,000 more has been spent on its consumption since the newspaper advertisements first appeared. The whole trade agrees that the campaign has increased business by at least 25 per cent. Australia and New Zealand now co-operate in the advertising, and the British scheme has been copied in America, Germany and Sweden. Advertising is the trade-wind of to-day. There are no doldrums in a business that knows how to advertise."

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59 FLEET STREET, LONDON, Saturday.

Although the buoyancy of Industrial Shares has become more subdued, business in that section is still remarkably active, and, considering the extent of the rise in prices that has already taken place this year, the tone is wonderfully strong. For the time being, of course, Gramophone Shares have replaced British Celanese as the centre of interest. The rise in Columbia Graphophones to over 7½, which compares with the year's lowest of 2 11/16, is perhaps natural in view of the results announced by the Gramophone Company, not merely in the shape of the doubling of the dividend and of the profits, but in respect also of the strengthening of the financial position, which is regarded as a big bull point.

INCREASE IN MARKET VALUATION.

The earning power of the company, as thus disclosed, justifies the rise in the shares, but it will be interesting to see whether the optimism thus created regarding Columbia Graphophone possibilities is justified. In one case we have £1 shares standing at about 8¼ and in the other 10s. shares quoted at over 7½. Since the lowest price of the year was touched the market valuation of Columbia Graphophones has risen from below £2,650,000 to over £6,700,000. It is thought that both shares may go still higher, and that increased activity will be witnessed, with higher prices, in Edison Bell and Vocalion Shares, though in both of the two last cases the latest reports were not very encouraging.

EXPECTED DIVIDEND INCREASES

As to other Industrials, the feeling is still optimistic regarding the prospects of what may be called the independent cement group—that is, the various companies outside the Associated Portland Cement Manufacturers. The forthcoming report of the British Cement Products Company is looked forward to with considerable optimism, and there is reason to believe that the dividend for the year will be 15 per cent. Other allied concerns are the Ship Canal Cement Company, Greaves, Bull and Lakin, and the Associated Anglo-Atlantic Corporation. If the expectations regarding the British Cement Products dividend are realised, we shall probably see a rise in all the shares of this group.

A HOTEL INVESTMENT.

Another company of a different kind, in respect of which it is expected that the dividend will be increased, is the Hotel York. These shares stand at a fairly high level—namely, about 3, thus yielding less than 7 per cent. on the basis of the last dividend, which was 20 per cent.; but in the current year it is believed that the company has done so well that the dividend will be increased to 25 per cent. In that case the shares at 3 would yield 8 1-3 per cent., apart from the accrued dividend in the price.

A PROMISING RAILWAY SHARE.

Yet another company which is expected to disclose excellent figures for the past year is the Barranquilla Railway. On the last occasion this company distributed 8 per cent. on the shares, and it is expected that this figure will be repeated, as earnings have been quite good. A bull point in regard to this concern is that there is now nothing in front of these shares. There is no Preference issue, and an amount of Debentures which was outstanding some time ago has been redeemed. The £1 shares are obtainable at about 22s., and, on an 8 per cent. dividend basis, the yield would be 7¼ p.c. It is expected that the figures will show an ability to pay more than 8 per cent., while there are also possibilities of another bonus issue of shares.

SHIPBUILDING COMPANIES.

It is probable that rather more attention will be given in the future to shares of shipbuilding companies. The re-entry of the Fairfield Co. into the dividend list after a long interval is encouraging, and the latest figures of the tonnage under construction are remarkably good. According to Lloyd's Register, the amount in December last was 760,084 tons, but by January, 1927, this had risen to 1,216,932 tons; by March, 1927, to 1,390,388 tons, and by September, 1927, to 1,536,416 tons. The importance of these figures is apparent at a glance, and it is noteworthy that during the whole of the periods indicated the new work commenced has in each return exceeded launchings. At the moment the feeling is very optimistic regarding the prospects of Swan, Hunter, and Wigham-Richardson. It is understood that this company's order book is full for the whole of next year, and this should easily mean an increased dividend, more especially as the financial position has always been strong. The last annual dividend was 7½ per cent., less tax, but, after paying this, the amount carried forward and the reserves totalled £1,450,748, as compared with the issued Ordinary capital of £1,711,064. The Ordinary shares are quoted about 30s. 3d., and, in view of the period of prosperity which the company appears to be enjoying, they are not over-valued at this figure. Other shares which may be worth attention are Cammell Laird, Hawthorn, Leslie, Palmers, and Vickers. It is expected that the last-named will declare a dividend for the current year, the way for this having been paved by the drastic capital reorganisation scheme carried through some time ago.

RUBBER SHARES.

In quarters where such matters are closely followed an optimistic view is taken of the new scheme for curtailing rubber production in the Malay States. It is that tapping shall be restricted to one day in three. It is not easy to calculate what this will mean, but some experts say that it should be equivalent to a fifty per cent. restriction of output in the case of the very big producers. Because of this a more hopeful view is taken of the prospects, and it is thought that before very long we shall see a better market for Rubber Shares. The Colonial Office announcement of no further direct restriction, though rather disappointing at first, had no adverse effect.

TIN SHARES.

As indicated might be the case a little while ago, the market for Tin Shares, after showing some further weakness, has developed considerable strength, and at the moment there is much bullish talk in regard to the supposed scheme for restricting production. Too much should not be made of this report. It may prove to be true, but those who make a study of the conditions are more inclined to buy Tin Shares on the prospective scarcity of the metal through the natural working of the law of supply and demand. This section, it may be interesting to mention, was considerably affected a little while ago by a rather bad failure on the London Metal Exchange, which necessitated heavy liquidation, especially in one particular group of shares. Indications that the trouble has now been disposed of helped the recent strong recovery in share values, while another bull point was the remarkable increase in the profits and dividend of the Northern Nigeria (Bauchi) Co.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

THE OUTLOOK.

Public interest in Industrials shows no sign of waning, but the necessity for discrimination which was emphasised last week still exists. We have had one or two reminders that prices cannot go on rising for ever, and the phenomenal appreciation in certain cases has discounted all known favourable factors (says *The Sunday Times*). Gramophones, for instance, were run up to a level at which the yield, even on the basis of doubled dividend, is less than 5 per cent. The report, it is true, made a wonderful showing, but can profits be further increased to justify the price of the shares? Those who were fortunate enough to buy lower down should consider the wisdom of consolidating their gains, since they can obtain a similar return from gilt-edged stocks. Columbia Graphophones and Vocalions offer more scope for imagination, but the appreciation in these is already so enormous that the purchaser at current levels must be prepared for heavy profit-taking by those who came into the movement at an earlier stage. Another share that was rushed up without any valid reason, so far as has been disclosed, is that of the Buell Combustion Company. There was nothing in the official statement issued during the past week to suggest that the price of 4¾ for the £1 shares which was at one time touched represented their real value. There is, or was, a pool in the shares. On the other hand, shares with investment merits, such as Imperial Tobaccos and Hudson's Bays, have been sacrificed to pay for the more popular favourites. Both may go lower yet, but eventually their intrinsic merits will be realised. American competition with British tobacco firms is said to be coming, but the Imperial Company may be expected to hold its own, just as the powerful Union Cold Storage Company has emerged practically unscathed from the meat war, now said to be nearing its end. The Hudson's Bay position was dealt with recently, and the company has admittedly "given hostages to fortune" in building stores ahead of immediate needs, but this policy may prove, in the end, to have been far-sighted. At the moment Marconis look like moving up further because of the possibilities of the beam system. Shareholders have had a long run of bad luck, but those who have held on may be rewarded for their patience. Two other shares in which Irish investors are deeply interested—Guinness and Dunlops—are showing signs of recovery, and both are worth holding for better prices.

BRITISH CELANESE.

The Brussels Court of Arbitration, which recently decided in favour of the Tubize Company in the dispute with Dr. Henry Dreyfus, Chairman of the British Celanese Company, over rights in celanese processes in Europe, has issued a further statement on its findings. The statement declares that the Tubize Company constituted within the specified time a French company for the manufacture and sale of artificial silk, which was done in exchange for the rights of sale and fabrication given to the Tubize Company by the agreement of 25th March, 1922, with Celanese. As for the claims by Dr. Dreyfus that the Turbize had not developed the trade in artificial silk in Germany, Poland and Czecho-Slovakia, the arbitration statement holds that these claims are not well founded, so that the aforementioned agreement between Dr. Dreyfus, representing the British Celanese, and the Tubize Company continues. A trust deed, dated 14th October, to secure £3,000,000 British Celanese Mortgage Bonds, plus a premium of 10 per cent., has been registered at Somerset House. It may be recalled that on 8th October last £2,500,000 Second Mortgage Bonds were offered for sale at par. Following the decision of the Arbitration Court in Brussels, an official statement was issued by the Board of British Celanese stating that the decision only concerned certain Continental rights which were never in possession of British Celanese, but belonged to the Dreyfus-Clavel group.

GUINNESS PROSPECTS.

Many holders of Guinness stock have been disturbed by the recent depreciation in its market value. The highest quotation in 1926 was 774, while the lowest this year has been 420, from which level there has been only a moderate recovery to 475. Profits for the year to June last showed a comparatively trifling decline, but with characteristic conservatism the directors reduced the dividend by 4 per cent. to 28 per cent., while increasing the carry forward. Even on the basis of the lower dividend and the depreciated market price the stock gives a tax-free yield of approximately 5 per cent. Various explanations are given of the shrinkage in the value of the stock, but one of our (*Sunday Times*) Dublin correspondents hits the nail on the head when he attributes it to local apprehensions regarding the possible effects of competition. Certain Cork brewers have been acquiring licensed premises in various centres in the Free State, and as it is not its policy to own or control tied houses the Guinness Company has accordingly suffered, so far as its Irish trade is concerned. But of the total output of the world's biggest brewery only a small proportion is consumed at home, the bulk of its barrellage being absorbed by this country. Consequently, any falling off in the local demand should not seriously affect its earnings, especially at the present time, when overseas consumption has been stimulated in Canada, among other countries, by the abolition of prohibition. Prosperous times in the great industrial centres of Great Britain mean a large demand for the brew for which the company is famous, and it is on its export trade that its prosperity mainly depends. Irish investors who admittedly hold a large proportion of the capital seem to be unduly perturbed by local developments, forgetting that, even if rivals were to secure the whole of the local trade—a far-fetched contingency—Guinness would still obtain from overseas markets profits more than sufficient to pay dividends as handsome as those declared in the past.

RUBBER AND RESTRICTION.

Rubber was quoted at 1s. 4⅛d. per lb. buyers on Saturday morning. The market was in a confident mood, and the view held generally was that the weekly statistics today will show a substantial decrease in the London stocks. The week has been one of some uncertainty (writes *The Observer*). First there was the cable received by the Rubber Growers' Association intimating the revision of the standard production assessments in Malaya estimated to produce a reduction of possibly about 16 per cent. in the amount of rubber available. Then came the Colonial Office statement that no change would be made in the Restriction Scheme, but that the Governments of the territories concerned will be asked to overhaul the "machinery" of the scheme with a view to increasing the efficiency of its working. The exact meaning of this was made very clear at the Tandjong Rubber Company's annual meeting by Mr. Eric Miller, who said that the machinery relates to matters dealt with in the East, such as methods of assessment, issue of licences, and coupons, prevention of smuggling, etc. He had the best of authority for saying that energetic steps have already been taken, particularly in Johore, to combat the activities of the smugglers. When the true significance of the overhaul of the machinery of the scheme is better appreciated, Mr. Miller believes we should see a strengthening of the market. Prospects are certainly more encouraging than for some time past.

TOBACCO WAR THREATENED.

Tobacco shares, which were conspicuously neglected during the extreme activity in Industrials generally, have this week displayed pronounced weakness. Several bearish influences appear responsible for the selling pressure. Although it is reported that, in the case of Imperials, sales on behalf of a deceased estate have been a source of trouble, the main disturbance has been caused by apparently well-founded rumours that American interests have secured a foothold in the English tobacco business by purchase of Kensitas, thus causing fears of a price-cutting "war" (says *The Investor's Chronicle*). The sharp fall in Carreras to 16¼, as against a recent highest of 19, may be significant. Whereas some time ago there were confident reports of another free share bonus, the idea now prevails that any issue will be at a substantial premium, which would hardly be a bull point under present conditions. Godfrey Phillips have also proved vulnerable to bear attacks. British-Americans and United (Souths) only show fractional declines, and the latter especially are a highly promising purchase under £5, with prospects of substantial capital appreciation in next year. The floating supply of Piccardo Preference having been absorbed, the price has advanced sharply to 8¾.

MEAT WAR BEING SETTLED.

Some days ago we (*Financial Times*) stated that there was at last a good chance that the South American meat war, which has caused such havoc in meat prices, would be brought to a quick conclusion. Since then meetings of the interested companies have been held daily, and some progress has been made. A definite agreement has not yet been reached, but the fact that the parties have been able to carry on protracted negotiations without interruption is evidence that a new frame of mind is at work. The rigid stands by the different interests that were the features of previous conferences have been replaced by more pliant attitudes. One can, therefore, really hope that a satisfactory agreement may be reached. The meetings, which were adjourned on Friday, will be continued to-day.

STEPHENS'S REVIEW OF TEA AND TEA SHARES.

The details set forth in this Review show that the statistical position of tea is very sound, and that the developments over the next month or so are awaited with considerable interest. Copies are available on application to Bell, Stephens and Byard, Ltd., 28 Austin Friars, London, E.C.2.

DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE.

RISES AND FALLS OF THE WEEK.

The following are the rises and falls in active stocks and shares dealt in on Dublin Stock Exchange during the past week as compared with last price on October 14:—

RISES.

	Price October 14.	Price October 21.	
National Loan	96½	98	+1½
Funding Loan	85¼	86	+¾
Conversion Loan	75 [illegible]	75 [illegible]	+[illegible]
Land Stock (1903)	57⅞	58¾	+⅞
Land Stock (1909)	62½	63	+½
India 3½ p.c.	69⅜	71¼	+1⅞
Dublin Port 3½ p.c.	52⅝	54	+1⅜
Munster-Leinster Bank	7¼	7½	+¼
Provincial Bank	24¼	24½	+¼
Royal Bank	11¼	11½	+¼
Great Northern Gtd.	56⅝	58¼	+1⅝
Do. Deb.	66	67	+1
Great Southern Ord.	18⅛	18¾	+⅝
Do. Pref.	40¼	41	+¾
Do. Deb.	64	66	+2
Do. Guar.	51	51¼	+¼
Do. Dub. Junc. Gtd.	59	63	+4
Alliance Gas	8⅝	8 11/16	+1/16
Arnott Ord.	101/3	101/6	+0/3
Arnott Pref.	80/0	81/0	+1/0
Brooks, Thomas Ord.	21/9	23/0	+1/3
Burke Deb.	6½	7	+½
Coats	62/6	64/3	+1/9
Cork Electric Pref.	12/6	13/0	+0/6
Chartered (B.S.A.)	26/3	26/6	+0/3
Dublin Distillers Deb.	45	50	+5
Dub. A. Dwellings	6½	7	+½
Findlater Pref.	9/7	10/0	+0/5
Guinness Ord.	45¾	47¼	+1½
Guinness Pref.	11 1/16	11 [illegible]	+[illegible]
Impl. Tobacco, Canada	35/6	36/0	+0/6
Irish Amer. Oil Pref.	22/9	23/0	+0/3
Marconi	26/3	29/9	+3/6
Parent Trust Pref.	14/9	15/3	+0/6
Radio Corp. Common	14	14½	+½

FALLS.

	Price October 14.	Price October 21.	
Land Bonds	94½	94¼	-¼
Consols	55⅝	55½	-⅛
5 p.c. War Loan	102 11/16	102⅝	-1/16
Bank of Ireland	272	270	-2
Hibernian Bank	8½	8	-½
National Bank	21	20¾	-¼
Great Northern Ord.	33	31¾	-1¼
Do. Pref.	51	49¾	-1¼
Brit. Amer. Tobacco	105/6	105/3	-0/3
Branston Silk	16/3	14/3	-2/0
Canadian Marconi	7/7½	6/6	-1/1½
Courtaulds	149/9	146/6	-3/3
Chemical Indust. Ord.	32/6	31/3	-1/3
Dunlops	36/3	35/4½	-0/10½
Dublin Tram Ord.	80/7½	78/9	-1/10½
Do. Pref.	6 1/16	6	-1/16
Fine Spinners	50/9	50/0	-0/9
Imperial Tobacco	102/6	100/0	-2/6
Jameson Deb.	6½	6¼	-¼
McBirney	5/3	5/0	-0/3
Phoenix Oil	19/4½	18/9	-0/7½
Shells	88/4½	87/3	-1/1½

MANCHESTER MARKETS REVIEW.

FROM OUR COMMERCIAL CORRESPONDENT

The chief feature of the week in the provision trade has been the sharp decline in Danish, Swedish, and Dutch bacon, which was reduced at the weekly meeting of the Manchester Wholesale Provision Association by 8s. per cwt. Irish followed to the extent of 2s., and is once more dearer than Danish. There is no doubt the continued large shipments from Denmark are affecting the position, and this, coupled with the recent mild weather, is responsible for the drop in prices. Irish bacon is now quoted at about 92s. to 96s.; Danish, 88s. to 94s.; Swedish, 82s. to 88s., and Dutch, 80s. to 86s. It is interesting to note that at the corresponding period of last year Irish was quoted 112s. to 120s.; Danish, 106s. to 112s.; Swedish, 94s. to 100s., and Dutch, 94s. to 100s. It would appear that New Zealand is taking up the question of the production of bacon seriously. According to a Consular report to the Danish Government, there are at present thirty-eight bacon and ham factories in New Zealand. The production of bacon in 1926 was 201,080 cwts., value £1,099,020. This was an increase of 32,752 cwts. from the preceding year. In New Zealand, as in other countries, the pig population appears to be increasing rapidly. In 1920 the total was returned at 266,829, and in 1924, 414,271, and in 1927, approximately 516,204. The butter trade this week has been quiet and rather featureless, though a reduction of eight kroner has been recorded in the Danish official quotation. The quantity of Scandinavian offered has been quite sufficient to meet all requirements. Supplies of Irish creamery are in very small compass, choicest grades being practically off the market. Merchants' ideas as to prices were very varied, and it was almost impossible to give anything like a correct quotation. In eggs the production is now greatly curtailed, and smaller supplies of new laid command higher prices. It would appear that many egg producers are strongly opposed to the stamping of foreign eggs with the place of origin: they declare that this would seriously affect the sale of home-produced eggs by drawing attention to the excellent quality of eggs which come from abroad. In addition, they think it is too much like giving a free advertisement to the producers of foreign eggs. The question of a better method of marketing English eggs is under the consideration of those interested in poultry farming, and one of the first problems to be tackled must inevitably be that which deals with the branding of English high-grade eggs with a view to securing the home market.

At Salford Cattle Market on Tuesday there was a welcome improvement in fat cattle, and prices were distinctly firmer. Sheep and lambs also ruled steady, but the number of Irish lambs on offer showed a sharp falling off, and the quality of those shown was very rough. Irish dairy cows formed the whole of the supply in this section, and there was a much brighter tone noticeable. There was a good attendance of buyers, but no disposition on their part to operate, except at the prices ruling in the previous week. At the Manchester Pig Market a steadier tone prevailed, but supplies were quite sufficient to meet all requirements. Trade at the Manchester Dead Meat Market in all departments has been quiet throughout the week. The Board of Trade returns for the past month are rather more encouraging, and, so far as meat is concerned, a comparison of the meat imports for the month with those of September, 1926, show that Australia and New Zealand have more than made up for the smaller quantities of mutton and lamb from the Argentine, and that the Irish Free State continues to profit by the ban on pork from Holland. Ireland also shows an improving trade in bacon, notwithstanding the efforts of Holland to supply us with pigs in the cured form, as the fresh meat is shut out.

There is little new to record in dead poultry or game, but prices have fluctuated slightly during the week, and closed with an easier tendency.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORTS.

SATURDAY

Barometer, at 1 p.m., 29.25.

Foreign Arrival—Tyria, of Liverpool (1,883 tons), from Patras, with a cargo of dried fruit; discharging at Transit Sheds, North Wall Extension.

Coastwise Arrivals—Lady Limerick, from Liverpool, with passengers and goods; Olive, from Heysham, with passengers and goods; Puma, from Glasgow, with passengers and goods; Slieve Donard, Snowdon, from Holyhead, with goods; Carrowdore, from London, with empties; Clarecastle, from Liverpool, with empties; Thelma, from Garston, with coals; Ruby, from Ayr, with coals; Princetown, Elmfield, from Newport, with coals; Jacinth, from Troon, with coals; Castlehill, from Glasgow, with coals; Tiger, from Glasgow, light; Slieve Bawn, from Holyhead, light.

SUNDAY.

Barometer, at 3 p.m., 29.70.

Coastwise Arrivals—Lady Longford, from Liverpool, with passengers and goods; Rose, from Glasgow, with passengers and goods; Yarrow, from Silloth, with passengers and goods; Brier, from Heysham, with passengers and goods; Lady Emerald, from London, with goods; Lady Brussels, from Liverpool, with goods; Glenculien, from Ardrossan, with coals; Eden Force, from Newcastle-on-Tyne, with coals; St. Mungo, from Troon, with coals; Finola, Sarah Brough, from Garston, with coals; Bronzite, from Ayr, with coals; St. Fintan, Finvoy, from Birkenhead, with coals; Walnut, from Cardiff, with coals; Mango, from Whitehaven, with coals; Balmarine, The Monarch, from Glasgow, with coals; Mondara, from Preston, with coals; Elsie Annie, from Wexford, light.

LONDON MONEY MARKET.

LOAN RATES EASY.

FURTHER UPWARD MOVEMENT IN STERLING.

As usual on a Saturday, credit was in abundant supply, while there was only a small inquiry for loans. Most of the old money was renewed at 3½ p.c. over the week-end, while fresh advances were offered at 3 p.c. and under. Weekly fixtures went on at 3½ p.c.

Bank Rate Discount (changed April 21 1927), 4½%

60 days (fine)	4 5/16 4¼%	Trade	4½	4¾%
3 months	4 5/16%		4¾	5%
4 "	4⅜%			
6 "	4⅜ 4 7/16%		5	5½%
Loans to Brokers Day-to-day			2¾	3½%
" " for a Week				3½%
Deposit Allowance: Banks at Call				2½%
" " Discount Houses at Call				2½%
" " at Notice				2¾%

The discount market was idle, with rates unchanged. Fine 60-day bills were called 4 5/16-4½ p.c., three and four months' drafts 4 5/16 p.c., and long bills 4⅜ p.c. The "hot" Treasuries were quoted at 4 5/16 p.c.

No bullion operations were reported at the Bank, and in the open market the price of gold was unaltered at 84s. 11½d. per ounce fine. Both India and China were buyers of silver, and prices recovered ⅛d. to 25⅛d. per ounce for spot and 25 1/16d. for forward delivery.

The foreign exchanges moved within narrow limits. Sterling further improved to 4.87 5/16, but Continental gold rates were less favourable to London, while Spanish and Rumanian currencies cheapened a little. In the South American group the Peruvian £ further depreciated. Among Far Eastern currencies, Japanese yen were a shade easier in connection with the rise in silver.

	Oct. 22 Closing Rates		Oct. 21 Closing Rates		Par Rate
Amsterdam	12.10⅜	12.10⅝	12.10⅜	12.10⅞	12.10
B. Ayres	47 7/32	47 9/32	47 3/16	47⅞	47⅝d.
Barcelona	28.28	28.30	28.30	28.32	25.22½
Berlin	20.39½	20.40	20.40	20.40½	20.43
Brussels	34.99	34.99½	34.99	35.00	35.00
Calcutta	1/5 31/32	1/6	1/5 31/32	1/6	2/0
Copenhagen	18.17	18.17½	18.17	18.17½	18.159
Geneva	25.25	25.25½	25.25	25.25½	25.22½
Greece	365	367	365	367	25.22½
Helsingfors	193⅛	193⅜	193⅛	193⅜	193.23
Italy	89.05	89.15	89.05	89.15	25.22½
Kobe (p. yn.)	1/10 15/16	1/10 31/32	1/10 15/16	1/10 31/32	24.58d.
Montreal	4.86 11/16	4.86 13/16	4.86 11/16	4.86 25/32	4.86⅔
Montevideo	50d.	50½d.	50d.	50½d.	51d.
New York	4.87 5/16	4.87¼	4.87 5/32	4.87 7/32	4.86⅔
Oslo	18.48	18.50	18.48	18.50	18.159
Paris	124	124⅛	124	124⅛	25.22½
Prague	164¼	164½	164¼	164½	24.02
Rio de Jan.	5 29/32	5 15/16	5 29/32	5 15/16	27d.
Shanghai	2/6¼	2/7	2/6¼	2/6⅞	—
Singapore	2/3 25/32	2/3 13/16	2/3 25/32	2/3 13/16	2/4
Stockholm	18.07½	18.08	18.07½	18.08½	18.16
Vienna	34.50	34.53	34.50	34.53	34.58½
Warsaw	43	44	43	44	25.22½

PRICES OF RECENT ISSUES.

Anglo-Canadian Pulp 6½ p.c. Debs. (£20 paid), 4¾-5¾ pm. Associated Anglo-Atlantic Corporation Ord., 26/7½-27/1½. Do. Def., 5/1½-5/4½. Associated Facing Brick and Tile Ord. (1/- paid), 1/6-2/0 pm. Do. 8 p.c. Pref. (2/- paid), 3d. dis.-3d. pm. Australasian United Steam Navigation 6 p.c. Debs. (£25 paid), 3½-4½ pm. Barratt (J. H.) and Co. Ord., 3/3-3/6. Bass, Ratcliff and Gretton 5½ p.c. Debs. (£50 paid), 8¾-11¼ pm. Birkenhead 5 p.c. (£5 paid), ¾-1½ dis. Brazil 6½ p.c. Bonds (£25 paid), 1½-2 pm. British Celanese (£30 paid), 1-2 pm. Bukoba (Tanganyika) Tinfields (fully paid), 4/4½-4/7½. Butterley Co., 31/9-32/9. Canadian Pacific (£50 paid), 88-90. Carr and Co. 6½ p.c. Pref. (fully paid), 20/3-20/9. Cohen, Weenen and Co. 7 p.c. Pref. (fully paid), 19/6-20/6. Combined Pulp and Paper Mills Ord. (10/- paid), 1/6-1/0 dis. Do. Def., 3/3-3/9. Compton (J. Sons) and Webb (4/), 13/9-14/3. Cooper, McDougall and Robertson (£1 Ord.), 46/6-47/6. Crompton Parkinson 6 p.c. Prefd. Ord., 15/6-16/0. Delaney (John) (fully paid), 27/6-28/6. Dresden 5½ p.c. Bonds (£65 paid), 4¾-4¾ dis. Glanzstoff Certificates, 6-3⅞. Glave (Henry) 8 p.c. Pref. Ord., 20/6-21/6. Do. Def., 2/3-2/6. Harris (W. J.) and Co. 7½ p.c. Pref. (fully paid), 10/0-11/0. Do. Ord., 2/4½-2/7½. Hungary (Counties of) 6 p.c. Bonds, 87-8. International Coffix Prefd. Ord. (fully paid), 4/3-4/9. Do. Deferred, 1/9-2/3. Kay Yew (Kinta Valley) Tin Ord. (fully paid), 3/9-4/3. Lang and Stevenson Ord., 27/0-28/0. Do. 7½ p.c. Pref. (fully paid), 20/3-20/9. London and Suburban Garages, 19/6-20/6. McCrae and Drew (10/-), 16/6-17/-. Meurisse Ord. (fully paid), 19/6-20/6. Do. 7½ p.c. Pref. (fully paid), 18/6-19/6. Poland State Loan (1927) 7 p.c. (£5 paid), 1¼-¾ dis. Pro Patria Films (fully paid), 10/6-11/0. Roberts (Chas.) (1927) 6½ p.c. Pref. (10/- paid), 1/3-2/3 pm. Rolls Razor 10 p.c. Prefd. Ord. (5/- paid), 3/0-6d. dis. Do. Defd., 3/7½-4/1½. Santos (City of) 7 p.c. Bonds (fully paid), 95½-6. Scott's Restaurant Ord., 2/9-3/0. Do. 7½ p.c. Pref. (fully paid), 21/0-21/6. Scottish Power Ord. (17/- paid), 1/9-2/3 pm. Smethwick Corp. 5 p.c. (£5 paid), 1¼-¾ dis. South Africa (Union of) 5 p.c. (£19½ paid), 1 5/16-1 7/16 pm. Treasury Bonds 4½ p.c. "G" (fully paid), 99 5/16-7/16. Wembley Stadium and Greyhound Racecourse 7½ p.c. (15/- paid), 5/0-8/0 dis. Do. Defd., 4/6-5/0. West (George) Ord. (1/-), 1/6-1/9. Do. 7½ p.c. Pref., fully paid, 19/3-20/3. West Ham Greyhound Prefd. Ord. (5/- paid), 5/6-4/6 dis. Do. Def., 2/9-3/6.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

ABERDEEN TRUST.—Dividend on Ordinary Stock at rate of 10 per cent. per annum, less tax, making 8 per cent. for year. (Same as last year.)

ANGLO-PERSIAN OIL.—The full report of the Anglo-Persian Oil Company, which will be in the hands of the shareholders to-day, shows an increase of £1,160,734 in the gross profits at £6,927,124. This figure, which is again struck after meeting expenses and depreciation, creates a fresh record for the company, whose issued share capital now stands at £23,396,000. Interest on the Debenture capital and on the Five-year Notes absorbs £310,918, and the estimated royalty payable to the Persian Government takes £1,027,595, as compared with £734,356 last year. Income tax absorbs £930,969, as against £292,319, leaving a net profit, after providing directors' fees, etc., of £4,635,444, as compared with £4,383,232. The directors, as already announced, have allowed £450,293 (against £228,100) for extra depreciation, have written off £40,595 bonus issue expenses, again placed £100,000 to amortisation reserve fund, and £1,000,000 (against £1,500,000) to general reserve. The Ordinary dividend of 12½ per cent. absorbs £1,678,125. Last year the distribution was 17½ per cent., calling for £1,566,280 on a smaller capital, a bonus issue of 50 per cent. being made in November last. The dividend for 1926-27 is, therefore, equal to 18¾ per cent. on the old capital. After meeting the Preference dividend the balance forward is raised from £1,955,450 to £2,246,880. The report states that £1,000,000 Five-year Notes were repaid on January 1, 1927. The main field at Masjid-i-Sulaiman, in Persia, operated by the First Exploitation Company, has again responded with ease to the calls for production made upon it, while its productive extent is continually being expanded by the bringing in of further large producing wells on its margins. Drilling operations in Persia in other areas have not so far yielded satisfactory results, but the policy of exploring all promising areas is being energetically pursued. At Naft Khana, in the Transferred Territories, drilling has proved exceptionally difficult, and progress consequently slow, but prospects continue to be good.

BRISTOL COLLEGE GREEN HOTEL.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent., free of tax. (Last year dividend same.)

BANK OF MONTREAL.—Dividend of 3 per cent. for quarter ending October 31, together with a bonus of 2 per cent. for current year ending October 31, 1927.

BOLCKOW, VAUGHAN.—The expenses incurred in maintaining and restarting mines, collieries, and works laid idle by the coal stoppage, amounting to £245,240, have been debited by the directors of Bolckow, Vaughan, and Co. against general reserve. Apart from these extraordinary expenses, the accounts now presented make a much better showing than a year ago, the profit being £261,777, against £124,507. Deducting standing charges and bank and loan interest, and also interest on Debentures, there is a net profit of £42,045 to carry forward, against a debit balance of £178,085 at the end of June, 1926, which debit was provided for by withdrawals from reserves.

BUFF BOOK.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent., less tax, on Ordinary and Deferred Shares. (Last year dividends same.)

GIEVES.—Interim dividend of 10 per cent. per annum, less tax on Ordinary Shares, for half-year. (Last year dividend same.)

GLENFIELD AND KENNEDY.—Interim dividend of 4 per cent., less tax, on Ordinary Shares. (Same as last year.)

ISLE OF WIGHT ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER.—Interim dividend of 4 per cent., less tax, on Ordinary Shares. (Last year dividend same.)

JOHN M. NEWTON AND SONS.—Interim dividend of 12½ per cent. actual, less tax.

LEWIS AND PEAT.—Lewis and Peat, produce brokers, of Mincing Lane, announce a further interim dividend of 5 per cent. for the current year on Ordinary Shares, payable forthwith. (This makes the third payment of 5 per cent. in respect of 1927.)

MADRAS ELECTRIC SUPPLY.—Interim dividend of 2½ per cent., free of tax, on Ordinary Shares. (Last year dividend same.)

OLYMPIC PORTLAND CEMENT.—Interim dividend maintained at 5 per cent.

PICCADILLY (KELANI VALLEY) RUBBER AND TEA.—Year's dividend reduced from 15 per cent. to 10 per cent.

PACKING MATERIALS ASSOCIATION.—Final dividend of 7½ per cent. on Ordinary, free of tax, making 10 per cent. for year.

TYRRELL AND GREEN.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent. per annum, less tax, on Ordinary Shares, for half-year. (Last year 6 per cent. per annum.)

UNITED ELECTRIC TRAMWAYS CO. OF CARACAS.—Net revenue for year ended June amounted to £24,598. Dividend of 10 per cent., forward £40,907.

URBAN ELECTRIC SUPPLY.—Interim dividend of 6 per cent. per annum, less tax, on Ordinary Shares, for half-year.

ZWANENBERG.—Dividend of 3 per cent. on Ordinary Shares. (Last year, Preference dividend only was paid.)

BIRMINGHAM MOTOR SHARE MARKET.

Friday's Closing Prices.—Albion Motor, 49/3; Austin Ord., 20/9, do. B Pref., 22/10½, do. Prefd. 10 p.c., 12/3, do. Deb. 6½ p.c., 94; Birmingham Aluminium Castings, 24/3; Birmingham Small Arms, 12/4½; Bluemel Bros., 54/9; Bowden Brake, 2/9; Brett's Stamping, 27/6; Brooks (J. B.), 36/-; Brown Bros., 27/9, do. Pref., 22/-; Components, 8/-; Coventry-Climax, 22/1½; Crossley Motors, 6/4½; Dennis Bros., 8 11/16; Enfield Cycle, 29/6; Fodens, 19/1½; Guy Motors, 28/-; Halford, 53/3; Hughes Johnson, 39/6; Humber 29/9, do. Pref. 16/6; James Cycle, 14/6; Leyland Motor, 19/3; Lucas (Jos.), 92/-; Mandslay, 17/3; Morris Motors Pref., 18/10½; Napier Ord. 67/6, do. Pref. 24/-; New Hudson, 14/9; Riley (Coventry), 9/10½; Rolls-Royce, 34/9; Rovers, 8/6; Rudge-Whitworth 5/-, do. Pref. 45/-; Scott Motor Cycle, 3/6; S.T.D. Motors 7/1½, do. Pref. 15/9, do. 8 p.c. Notes, 103; Serck Radiators, 30/9; Singer and Co., 58/-; Smith (S.) and Sons Defd., 9/4½; Smith's Stamping, 25/3; Standard Motor, 21/-; Star Engineering, 4/10½; Stevens (A. J.), 25/6; Swift, 3/3, do. Pref. 5/-; Tilling-Stevens 4/6, do. Pref. 11/9; Triumph, 28/6; Vauxhall Motor Pref., 18/9; Vulcan Motor, 3/3; Dunlop Rubber 35/6, do. A Pref. 22/4½, do. B Pref. 24/-; Leyland Rubber, 22/3; Parent Trust Ord. 20/10½, do. Pref. 15/3, do. Deferred 35/6; [illegible].

MUSIC NOTES AND NEWS.

"CELEBRITY" CONCERT.

OPENING OF THE SEASON AT THE THEATRE ROYAL.

A new season of "Celebrity" concerts at the Theatre Royal, Dublin, had a brilliant opening last Saturday afternoon. Larger audiences have been seen on like occasions in other years, but greater gaps would not have been surprising. That the theatre was nearly filled on a day of weather so deterring can pass for proof of Dublin's appreciation of a programme strong in appeal. Florence Austral, Marguerite D'Alvarez, Tom Burke—these were names that promised rich reward for venturers. From all three fine exploits of vocalism were realised, and added to the pleasure of hearing them was the enjoyment of excellent flute-playing by John Amadio, and of exceptionally prominent accompaniment work by Percy Kahn. Mr. Kahn is no mere satellite in the concert sphere; he assumes planetary prominence when he appears among the "stars."

Chilled by atmospheric misery that penetrated within the theatre, the audience was not stirred easily to warmth of appreciation. It must not be forgotten that artistes as well as audience were exposed to the day's depression. In such circumstances it was almost heroic of ... Florence Austral to venture, at the outset of her afternoon's work, on so heavy a task as the big number from "Der Freischutz"—"Leise, leise." Miss Austral, however, never has spared herself great tasks; she has a courage equal to her great vocal gifts and accomplishments.

She exhibits the ardour of a true musician, and the operatic parts in which she has won greatest distinction are precisely those that deter the larger number of soprano singers. She has not feared at times to pit herself to comparison with noted singers in the *coloratura* school of vocalism; but she has passed on to work that few of her rivals in that school would think to essay. Despising obvious paths to distinction she has proved herself an artiste of extraordinary versatility, and in all her work goes straight for honest production of pure and telling tone. Her singing impresses most those listeners who know wherein vocal triumph really lies. Not for her are the tricks that win ready applause from casual seekers after sensation.

After such an expression of regard for Miss Florence Austral's art, it is hardly necessary to say that her singing on Saturday, despite adverse conditions, won the acclaim of an audience that had braved the day's inclemency in order to hear her. It left no place for disappointment. "Leise, leise," came as a thrilling uprush of rapturous emotion, but, being still at that early stage of the concert coolly critical, we were not swept out of due notice of the singer's fullness and purity of vocal tone. Even the fine ringing high note at the climax of "A Song of the Open Road," which she sang as her *encore*, found us still awarding deliberate marks. In the middle of the concert, however, her brilliant delivery of a group of songs, beginning with an old English melody and passing to a delicious lyric by Cyril Scott, and on to "Sea Rapture," by Eric Coates, swept deliberateness away.

The singer was recalled for more and got more, and every new thing that she vouchsafed seemed more precious than the last, and exhibited further reaches of art. From English art song she passed to florid operatic music in Bizet's "Charmante oiseau," from that to the Valkyrian energy of Brunnhilde's Battle-Cry, and from that again to wooing ecstasy in Roger Quilter's, perhaps, over-delicate arrangement of "Drink to me only with thine eyes." No more might have been expected after so opulent an offering, but still to come, as clinching finale to a concert of rare brilliance, was the big duet from "Cavalleria Rusticana," with Miss Austral in Santuzza's music to Mr. Tom Burke in Turridu's. To the outer wretchedness again, from that passionate *scena*, we fared glowing.

In fascinating contrast with Miss Austral's English openness was the Southern magic of dark D'Alvarez. Here was intriguing personality as well as subtly luring vocalism. D'Alvarez is best described, in regard to vocal quality, as having a Carmen voice, and with gipsy archness she sang the two Carmen songs, "Habanera" and "Seguidilla." In these, one thought, she was at her best. Before them she sang a curious piece called a negro convict song, "Water Boy," and after them, as *encore*, the "Blind Ploughman." What spirit she brought to the singing of these, and to her engaging manner of contact with the audience, is told best by saying that to her belongs the credit of warming the audience to a high pitch of excitement at a time when it seemed almost as though the concert was going to fall flat.

Naturally, therefore, her second appearance was welcome, when she sang very cleverly, with display of rich voice qualities, three modern songs. The Delilah air, "Mon coeur s'ouvre a ta voix," was a popular *encore* number, and the artiste was recalled again to sing "Homing." After her performance at Saturday's concert D'Alvarez is sure of a Dublin audience whenever she may come again.

D'Alvarez could have spared Mr. Tom Burke some of the *flair* of her platform manner. The stodginess of his manner, undoubtedly, put difficulty in the way of full appreciation of his vocal power. In costume, playing his part in opera, he may take all before him, but on the patform he comes near to leaving his audience indifferent. He has the Italian type of tenor voice. When he sang "Vesti la giubba" as his *encore* after his first song-group, we were able to imagine him as a typical Canio, and his Turridu in the duet with Miss Austral was even more true to type.

In the second part of the programme he sang as entirely at home with Puccini music, his selections being "Che gelida manina" and an aria from Puccini's last work, "Turandot." "The Minstrel Boy" and "La donna e mobile" were among his *encore* numbers. His other *encore* song brought a reminiscence of a small concert in a Dublin suburb last winter, when a somewhat nervous singer, having won applause, returned to the platform and exclaimed, "Thanks be to God." He was not expressing relief at having made a success of his effort, but merely announcing the title of his *encore* song. Mr. Burke avoided any mistaken impression by announcing "a ballad called 'Thanks be to God.'"

Mr. Amadio has won *virtuoso* rank with his performances on the flute, and he was one of the artistes most highly appreciated on Saturday. As *encore* pieces he played an arrangement of Chopin's Waltz in D flat and the Carnaval de Venise."

TCHAIKOWSKY'S PIANO CONCERTO.

HIS USE OF RUSSIAN THEMES.

At the Dublin Philharmonic Society's concert next Saturday, Tchaikowsky's Piano Concerto No. 1 in B flat minor is to be played, with Miss Rhoda Coghill as soloist.

No more attractive work could be chosen for an orchestral concert. The music is brilliant, lively, and rich in display of Tchaikowsky's qualities of flowing melody and colourful orchestration. The pianoforte part gives the soloist fine opportunities for that quality of display known as virtuosity. The soloist should dominate the performance, though the orchestra has no mean part. Alternations of combination and contest between the two parties to the performance yield in full measure that excitement which belongs especially to the concerto form in music.

The composer, Peter Ilitch Tchaikowsky, was born in Russia in 1840. He spent some years in law studies and office work before devoting himself to music. Then he took instruction from the Rubinsteins. In writing the pianoforte concerto in 1875-76 he designed the work for Nicholas Rubinstein, brother of the more celebrated Anton, and in the first place dedicated it to him. Rubinstein, it appeared, received the tribute coldly, holding that the composer ought to have consulted him on points of technique. Later, the pianist passed from chill reserve to cutting criticism, and Tchaikowsky deleted his name from the dedication, and substituted that of Hans von Bulow, the German virtuoso, who was more appreciative. A dozen years later Tchaikowsky, having recognised the truth of some of Rubinstein's comments, made a thorough revision of the concerto. In its new form it soon became popular, and since then has always been a favourite with performers, and audiences. For many years past Mr. Mark Hambourg has been its most noted exponent. The section most easily remembered is the vigorous theme of the *finale*, a wild Cossack dance measure.

In its final form the concerto represents Tchaikowsky at his best period. Three years after he had finished the revision he was writing the famous "Pathetic" Symphony, which he conducted only a few weeks before his death in 1893.

Tchaikowsky's use of a distinctively Russian type of theme in the concerto raises the question of his standing with regard to Russian music. It has been said that, while foreigners looked on him as distinctively Russian, the Russian "Nationalist" musicians regarded him as a semi-foreign composer. The "Nationalists," among whom were included Moussorgsky, Rimsky-Korsakoff and Borodin, pretended to cut themselves off from the main stream of musical culture, and strove to develop a school of their own, based on devotion to Russian "folk" sources of inspiration and the use of an idiom, which they conceived to be distinctively Russian. Tchaikowsky, on the other hand, drank deep of the universal stream, and wrote for the widest audience. At the same time, he shared with the "Nationalists" a lively interest in folk music and other distinctively Russian forms: he wrote operas on Russian subjects for the Russian stage, and incidental music for a form of entertainment that was developed in a special degree in Russia—the marionette show. Besides using frequently themes definitely Russian in origin and character, he tends often to give his personal themes a Russian character. Often, without intending to be distinctive, he seems to betray a certain barbaric urge that speaks of Russia beneath the polish of a more universal style.

To suggest Tchaikowsky's relation to the Russian "Nationalists" by parallel, we should have to imagine an Irish school of composers with a Gaelic League outlook refusing to honour Stanford as an Irish composer because, in addition to his use of Irish themes and his ability to give an Irish flavour to his work when he chose, he could write also music fit to stand with the work of the recognised English and German classicists of his day.

As Standford could turn from "Shamus O'Brien," the "Songs of Erin," and his Irish Rhapsodies to "The Canterbury Pilgrims," oratorios, and other work of general acceptance, so Tchaikowsky could turn from "Voyvode," Russian songs, and the "1812" Overture to the six symphonies, the piano concerto, the symphonic poems, and much other music that is not deliberately national, though traits connected with his nationality and environment may occur in it.

In the piano concerto, beyond recognition of the origin of the barbaric theme of the *finale*, we need not concern ourselves to look for any Russian characteristics. The work, as a whole, is as little Russian as Grieg's equally popular concerto is Norwegian. Indeed, an episode in the second movement is built on a tune that belonged to a French chansonette. "Il faut s'amuser, danser, et rire," which the composer had heard sung by the artiste, Lola Artôt, for whom he had at one time a fancy. Tchaikowsky used whatever material suited him; if much of it was Russian, the fact was due to his situation and environment.

OBLIGATO.

THE HALLE ORCHESTRA.

NEXT WEEK'S VISIT TO DUBLIN.

The visit of the Hallé Symphony Orchestra next Monday to play at Ballsbridge on the invitation of the Royal Dublin Society will be an important event of the musical season. Sir Hamilton Harty will conduct the orchestra at two recitals in the Hall at the Society's Ballsbridge premises. The programmes for the recitals, fully annotated, are available now for members of the Society.

Founded in Manchester seventy years ago, the orchestra had but two regular conductors up to the year 1914—Sir Charles Hallé, its founder, and Dr. Hans Richter, under whom its fame increased. On the reconstitution of the orchestra after the war there was an experimental period, but for some years past Sir Hamilton Harty has been permanent conductor. In that position he, with an orchestra now at a pitch of technical efficiency never exceeded in its history, has wielded a great influence on the practice and appreciation of music in the North of England. A lively spirit of criticism among Northern musical folk has prevented the conductor from keeping to a groove—if ever he were in danger of doing so—but Sir Hamilton Harty naturally has displayed special interests, among which may be mentioned the music of Mozart and Berlioz, and, among the moderns, the complex and exacting scores of Richard Strauss.

The orchestra to be heard in Dublin next week will not show the full resources of the Hallé organisation, but it will be proportionate to the music chosen for performance and include the most expert members in the various sections of the regular orchestra. That Sir Hamilton Harty is not dependent on big resources for impressive results, those who heard the music for string orchestra and for small orchestra performed by Hallé players under him at recitals in other recent years at Ballsbridge will testify.

The death has occurred in Sydney, New South Wales, of Mr. Denis Davin (80), a brother of the late Mr. Maurice Davin, Carrick-on-Suir, the noted athlete.

GRAMAPHONE NOTES.

THE RETURN OF CHALIAPIN.

IMPRESSIVE NEW RECORDS.

Chaliapin's reappearance in England, which occurred last week in performances at the Royal Albert Hall, London, has been celebrated by the Gramophone Company ("His Master's Voice") through the issue of a new Chaliapin record in the "Celebrity" series. The new record, prepared by the electric process, replaces one made by the great actor-singer some years ago. The subjects are, on one side, the "Farewell of Boris," and on the other the "Death of Boris," from Moussorgsky's famous opera "Boris Godounoff." Chaliapin's performance of the "Death" scene is regarded as his masterpiece on the stage.

The decision to carry out the scheme was made a few hours after Chaliapin had signed his contract for the Albert Hall engagement. A search was begun at once for instrumentalists who would form an ideal orchestra for the work, every player being obliged to have had experience of gramaphone recording and of Moussorgsky's music. A chorus of singers who had taken part in Covent Garden opera was engaged for the choral parts.

For some weeks before the actual recording session careful acoustic tests were carried out in the "His Master's Voice" studio in the Small Queen's Hall, and during that time the interior of the building—including even the covering of the walls—was altered to discover the best conditions for sound reproduction. The respective positions of the principal pieces of furniture were maped out in terms of inches.

When singer, orchestra and chorus eventually met, days were occupied in trying to obtain the perfect result desired. Dozens of test records were made. The arrangements for recording the "Death" scene are said to have cost more than £5,000.

The "Farewell" preserves Chaliapin's splendid voice in an impressive piece of declamation, and alone would make the record worthy of careful treasuring. The "Death" scene is, however, the great result of this recording enterprise. Chaliapin's own utterance in the part of the great Czar is affecting enough, but it is only part of a splendid *ensemble*. I think there can be no question that we have the finest recording of an operatic *ensemble* yet produced; and it must be long before it can be matched. To Chaliapin's singing is added rich choral work and vivid orchestral playing of Moussorgsky's poignant score, enhanced by direful bell-chimes and awe-inspiring crashes of a gong.

The record conveys extremely powerful resonances, so much so that a medium-tone needle will be found preferable to full-tone on a standard gramaphone. Even with medium-tone, the effect of the great *ensemble* passages is almost overwhelming. It is marvellous that mechanical reproduction should convey so much emotional power. The listener has no difficulty in picturing in his mind the scene as the dying Czar gasps out his death agony amid the grief of his companions.

Another Chaliapin record in the new electrical series contains the drinking song in the Tavern scene in "Boris Godounoff," and Prince Galitsky's song in "Prince Igor." The drinking song is not in Chaliapin's part in the opera, but he has taken it to himself for a small *tour de force*.

GRAMPUS.

RECORDS OF LIGHT MUSIC.

For lighter fare the gramaphone owner who wishes to increase his stock at small expense may turn to records in the Edison-Bell "Winner" list, such as the "Maritana" selection (two parts), played by the Royal Artillery Band; the two pieces played by Foden's Brass Quartette, the excellence of whose playing will be appreciated by brass instrument experts; the selection, "Si j'etais roi," played by the London Concert Orchestra; and "Come to the Fair" and "The Crown of the Year," two Easthope Martin songs, sung by Charles Unwin. A new record of two favourite marches has been made by the band of His Majesty's Scots Guards, and the Royal Artillery Band is recorded in another couple. All these "Winner" records are rather strong, but by choosing the best of the music and using quiet-tone needles one can get results not at all coarse or displeasing. Fibre needles were successful with most, but the Foden Brass Quartette was too much for the soft fibre-point. With a fine steel needle, the tone of the well handled brass instruments came out mellow and round.

DUBLIN SINGER'S RECORDS.

The series of gramaphone records of Irish vocalists made at the instance of the Dublin firm of Henecys (The Gramaphone Salon, 54 Dame street, Dublin) has been extended by the issue of two discs recording Seumas O Donnchadha (Jacques Dunphie) in four songs. The singer has a pleasant baritone voice, which is well reproduced in numbers that have a popular appeal—"A Father's Early Love," "O Sole Mio," "The Ould Side Car" and "Avourneen."

THE FEIS CEOIL.

NEW EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

The Executive Committee of the Feis Ceoil Association met last Thursday. Mr. Henry Maguire was in the chair, and there were present:—Miss E. A. Kelly, Madame Coslett-Heller, Mrs. Edmond Lupton, Mrs. W. J. M. Starkie, Mr. C. P. Curran, Dr. Holmes Denham, Mr. J. E. Geoghegan, Mr. Edmond Lupton, K.C.; the Rev. John Burke, Miss Edith Mortier (Hon. Secretary), and the Registrar.

The report of the scrutineers of the ballot for election of the Executive Committee was read. It contains, besides the names mentioned above, the names of Miss A. B. Griffith, Mrs. J. F. Larchet, Mrs. R. I. Best, Professor R. A. S. Macalister, Dr. J. F. Larchet, Miss Jean Nolan, Mrs. Boxwell, Mrs. P. J. Geoghegan, Comm. M. Esposito, Mr. J. Robertson Coade, Mr. T. H. Weaving, Mr. T. S. F. Battersby, K.C.; Dr. E. M. Fannin, Mrs. A. McC. Stewart, Miss F. M. Culwick. Dr. R. I. Best and Major A. G. Birch were co-opted members for the current year.

GENERAL COUNCIL OF COUNTY COUNCILS.

MOTIONS FOR WEDNESDAY'S MEETING.

The following are among the motions that will come up for consideration at the meeting of the General Council of County Councils, to be held at 11 Rutland square, Dublin, next Wednesday:—

The Chairman (Senator Kenny) will move a motion calling upon the Executive Council to take action to secure an equitable distribution as between the taxpayer and the ratepayer of the cost of local health services, the maintenance of the insane poor, and other local services of national as well as local concern.

A recommendation from the Donegal County Council states that the time has arrived when superannuation allowance should be paid from a central fund, and that the General Council should take the necessary steps to have such a fund created.

"That we call upon the Government of Saorstat Eireann to repeal the Criminal Injuries Act, Ireland being the only country in which such Acts are in force," is a notice of motion by the Tipperary (North Riding) County Council.

TARIFFS.

Protective tariffs will be discussed when the resolution of Clare County Council is read. This resolution declares that tariffs should be imposed on agricultural imports, such as bacon, butter, cheese, flour, oatmeal, woollen fabrics, tanned leather and products, artificial manures, soap and candles.

Roscommon County Council express the view that, as the County Councils have no representation on Local Appointments Commissioners and the Combined Purchasing Branch, the Department of Local Government and Public Health should be informed, in reply to their demands for contributions towards their cost, that the County Councils should not have to bear taxation in respect of them.

OLD AGE PENSIONS.

The modification of the Old Age Pensions Act is urged by the Tipperary South Riding County Council in a notice of motion requesting the Government, at an early date, to enact legislation to alter the Old Age Pensions Act by restoring the maximum pension of 10s. a week, by reducing the means of qualification to half its present assessment, and by amending Section 1, Subsection 7, so that farmers under £18 valuation might be eligible to receive old age pensions in certain stated cases.

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THE FIRST AWARD IN SANDYMOUNT SCHEME.

An interesting sequel to Dublin Civic Week took place at Pembroke Town Hall on Saturday last, when prizes were handed to the winners in a garden scheme organised for Sandymount by Miss Carson.

Mrs. Maud Walsh, Vice-Chairman, of the local Urban Council, presided and distributed the prizes. Mr. Joshua C. Manly, Town Clerk, was present on behalf of the Urban Council, and the attendance included Major Bryan Cooper, T.D., and Mrs. Cooper.

The winners were:—1st prize (£1), Mrs. Edward Brennan, 36 Seafort Gardens; 2nd prize (10s.), Mrs. Davis, 2 Bath avenue; 3rd prize (pair of silk stockings), Mr. Thomas Keenan, 22 Seafort Gardens; very highly commended, Mrs. McGlynn, 3 Bath avenue; commended, Mrs. Bailey, 21 Seafort Gardens; Mrs. Kettle, 37 Seafort Gardens. Miss Crosbie, a professional gardener, was the adjudicator.

Mrs. Walsh said that the prizes represented a great deal more than their money value, for they were a tribute to the taste and industry of those who took part in the Sandymount gardening scheme, and who had set an example that might usefully be copied in the residential districts of Dublin. Miss Crosbie told her than in none of the big gardens in the township had she found so much that was really nice as she had seen in the gardens attached to the homes of the ex-Service men in Sandymount. On behalf of the Council she thanked Miss Carson for originating and carrying through the scheme so very successfully.

Miss Carson said that the success of the scheme was due to the help that she got from everyone. She mentioned that people had told her than they would not grow flowers in their front gardens because they would be stolen and the gardens trampled and destroyed. The children at home and in the schools should be warned against that form of destruction.

Major Bryan Cooper said that it was a great pleasure to him to learn that the owner of the first prize garden was an ex-Service man, and a Connaught Ranger into the bargain. He was glad that in civil life the ex-soldiers carried out the sense of order and of doing things right that they had learned in the Army. All over the country, as well as in Sandymount, they found the gardens and the land of ex-Service men well cultivated. While he was in Canada he wondered at first to see the beautifully kept gardens, all unfenced, and he was told that no one would dream of touching the flowers in public parks or private gardens. There the children were taught in the schools that flowers were grown for the common enjoyment of all, and that to interfere with them would be to do injury to the property of the community. In Dublin they heard frequently of the trees being wantonly smashed in Fairview Park. He congratulated Miss Carson on the public recognition by the Urban Counilc of her services to the township of Pembroke.

EXPORTS FROM THE PORT OF DUBLIN.

The shipments of porter from Dublin, as officially returned, for the period 13th to 19th October, 1927, inclusive, were 27,999 standard barrels of 36 gallons, against 22,982 barrels for previous week. For the corresponding week of first-named period last year shipments of porter were approximately 28,686 barrels standard measure.

The shipments of plain Irish Free State spirits from Dublin for period 13th to 19th October, 1927, are officially returned as 1,564 proof gallons, against 1,090 gallons in previous week and approximately 3,101 gallons for first-named period of 1926.

RECENT IRISH WILL.

Mr. Andrew Cunningham, formerly of 4 Marlborough avenue, Londonderry, and late of 10 Ashness road, Clapham Common, London, S.W., retired commission agent, who died 6th August last, left personal estate in Great Britain and Northern Ireland valued at £1,441 4s. 11d. Probate of the will, dated 11th May, 1927, has been granted to his son, William John Baird Cunningham, of 10 Ashness road, aforesaid, to whom he left his property.

NEW MUSIC.—With words by a young Dublin man, J. R. Colleton, and music by Richard Elton, a song entitled "My World," which has been issued by the Empire Music Publishers, London, promises to be a popular number during the season on the concert platform and elsewhere. It is of the sentimental type, for which there is always a place. Its author is likely to have settings of more of his verses published in the near future.

DUBLIN BROADCASTS.—The chief musical fixture in this week's arrangements for broadcasts from 2RN is the performance of Balfe's opera, "The Bohemian Girl," to take place to-morrow night. Mr. Vincent O'Brien will conduct, and the principals are to be:—Count Arnheim, W. J. Lemass; Florestein, T. J. Young; Thaddeus, W. J. Hobbs; Devilshoof, T. J. Bevan; Arline, Lucy Doyle; Queen of the Gipsies, Joan Burke.

INTERMEDIAT[E] SYLLABUS.

VIGOROUS CRITIC[ISM] BY SCHOOLMASTE[RS]

AN UNWISE SELECT[ION]

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Mr. H. S. R. Pyper, Me[thodist] College, Belfast, the new Pr[esident,] presided.

SECONDARY SCHO[OLS.]

LACK OF VARIETY.

The Rev. C. B. Armstrong, St. C[olumba's] College, Rathfarnham, moved a re[solution] expressing the opinion of the Associat[ion that] the syllabus of subjects essential for the Intermediate Certificate examinat[ion was] unwisely selected, and did not adequa[tely pro]vide for the necessary variety of s[econdary] schools in the Free State. They were, [he said,] drifting into a state of affairs threatened the continuance not variety in the secondary schools, bu[t of] two of the most important aspects o[f] education—the study of ancient clas[sics and] of modern European languages. Fr[ench,] Irish, English, mathematics, histo[ry,] geography, and science would be co[mpulsory] for the Intermediate Certificate exam[ination] and, therefore, for the lower school o[f] all boys' schools. All except scie[nce were] compulsory now, but if they took [a] school week it was obvious that the[re would] be only a very small remainder fo[r] Greek, French, German, drawing a[nd com]merce. As a result there would be no variety in the secondary sch[ools. The] course would be unduly crowded, definitely scientific bias would be [given to] secondary education. The chie[f cause] was adding Irish to English [....] The country was paying for [it] heavily in cash and in efficiency. But if, as appeared t[o be the] case, the country thought that it wa[s getting] a good return in the fostering of pride and sentiment, there was no m[ore to be] said. Both of the larger parties w[ere com]mitted to the policy, and that Associ[ation had] given its reasoned views.

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WHERE EXCELLENCE IS IMP[OSSIBLE]

If they took two other subjects [in addi]tion to the five compulsory sub[jects, and] allocated six hours a week for [mathe]matics course, they were left [with] three hours apiece to devote to the [other sub]jects. With very good teaching a standard might be reached in such [....] excellence would be out of the que[stion. He] did not believe in specialising too [early, but] five or six subjects were quite su[fficient for] any boy to learn simultaneously schools which acted on that princ[iple] have their five subjects prescribe[d — Irish,] English, mathematics, history and [geography,] and science. It would be most u[nwise] to have every school in the coun[try forced] into the same mould, as appeared [....] ticularly if this mould were scient[ific....] schools ought to be able to ha[ve] three sides; small schools should [....] develop individuality.

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Mr. H. S. R. Pyper, Mercantile College, Belfast, the new President, presided.

SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

LACK OF VARIETY.

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He agreed that every boy should learn mathematics, but there were boys for whom a full course in mathematics was quite unnecessary. History and geography had suffered in value by being made Hibernocentric. As to science, there were many boys to whose taste the subject was irksome and to whose interests it was unnecessary. By the definitely scientific bias the humanities were crowded out, and that would be an irreparable loss. Modern languages were of the utmost importance, both practically and culturally, and they could not afford either from an intellectual or a commercial aspect to cut themselves off from modern Europe in this way. If the classics were to go as well, the secondary schools would have become thoroughly technical in their main tendencies. When other countries were awakening to the fallacies of materialism it would be sad if our own was to be the chief reactionary. He would undertake to give a boy more real preparation for life in reading, say, the Satires of Horace than any mathematician could by teaching, say, the summation of a series. As a means of mental training, as a purgative of undigested thought, as a criterion of taste, and as a source of ideas, there was no instrument of education comparable with Latin and Greek. A school which persisted in retaining such studies would be forced to overcrowd its curriculum, and that was an increasing evil of modern school life against which they should make a stand, as it was impossible to produce good scholarship without adequate time.

WHERE EXCELLENCE IS IMPOSSIBLE.

If they took two other subjects, in addition to the five compulsory subjects, and allocated six hours a week for the mathematics course, they were left with about three hours apiece to devote to the other subjects. With very good teaching a moderate standard might be reached in such time, but excellence would be out of the question. He did not believe in specialising too soon, but five or six subjects were quite sufficient for any boy to learn simultaneously, and the schools which acted on that principle would have their five subjects prescribed as Irish, English, mathematics, history and geography, and science. It would be most unfortunate to have every school in the country forced into the same mould, as appeared likely, particularly if this mould were scientific. Large schools ought to be able to have two or three sides; small schools should be free to develop individuality.

If they could have a group system offering alternatives of four sets of cognate subjects, classical, scientific, modern literary, and commercial, with not more than three subjects common to all groups, they would provide better for current needs, and have more hope of training real scholars. That was, perhaps, Utopian, and if the Ministry would consent not to make science compulsory and to allow an easier mathematical or history course for students taking two languages other than Irish or English, their principal objections would be met. And was there not a wider hope? Dared they not dream of and work for the day when, in Irish education as was happening in world politics, the principle of Empire might become unfashionable, and a Commonwealth of free schools, united by a minimum of State machinery, take its place, when the encroachments of bureaucracy would be restrained and the schools, like the universities, though aided by the State, might be real and independent organisms. As it was, the tentacles of State control were creeping out and embracing the body educational by new compulsions and regulations, drawing them ever closer to uniformity and dependence. If better counsels did not prevail it would drain the life and freedom from the schools. (Applause.)

COMPULSORY LATIN.

The Rev. Canon Harden, King's Hospital, seconding the resolution, said that he would make Latin compulsory in all secondary schools, but he thought that the change to the teaching of modern history was a benefit to the pupils. There was a danger that after 1930 their secondary schools would largely be technical schools, and he agreed with the suggestion of an earlier speaker that an advisory committee should be formed to deal with matters such as this and that which had been referred to earlier. The present hard and fast rule of five subjects should be altered.

The Rev. W. Anderson, Mountjoy School, Dublin, said that they should endeavour to get the authorities to foster the system of having different types of schools, as was the case twenty-five years ago. The Minister should recognise that schools doing good work in the classics might get exemption from science, etc. In the five subjects they were bound by a fast knot, and it would mean that the pupil was not receiving what was really an intermediate education. They were degenerating into a series of technical schools, instead of the schools being allowed to develop their lives individually.

The resolution was passed.

THE SECONDARY TEACHERS.

Mr. J. Bennett, Grammar School, Sligo, moved a resolution expressing the pleasure of the Association at the announcement by the Free State Government of its intention to introduce a scheme of pensions for teachers in secondary schools, and urging that there should be no further delay in carrying this into effect. It should seem unnecessary, he said, to state the case in support of the resolution, but, unfortunately, they had found that promises were not performances. They were justified in keeping the vital necessity of the introduction of these pensions before the country for two reasons—first, because it was of vital interest to the future of the State. They must have efficient teachers of the young, and to secure that they must have a proper scheme to enable teachers to get a proper livelihood and have some security for the future. Secondly, because it would be but a bare act of justice to provide the pensions. At the end of a number of years' training the secondary teacher in the Free State received a salary less than a bank clerk, and less than the secondary teacher in England and Northern Ireland, and yet these had also the security of a pension. The secondary teacher here had not sufficient for the time when he was not able to work, and consequently many schools were keeping on teachers who were past their work to save them from starvation or the workhouse. The lack of a pension did not attract the best men from the universities, and that was injurious to the teaching profession; while, at the other end, damage was done through teachers who should already have retired having to be kept on.

They were grateful to the Government for the promise to introduce the pensions scheme, and for all that they had already done for the secondary teachers; but when they "looked over the garden wall" they must see that the teachers elsewhere were better off, and, unfortunately, not only did many teachers look over the garden wall, but they went over and did not come back. Again and again they had been disappointed in this matter of pensions: they were told that there was no money available; but there was no objection in the case of other officials engaged in Government service. The Government should remember that what the teachers asked was in the interests of the nation. The country's future depended on the kind of education that was given to the young, and efficiency would not be secured if the best students were not attracted to the profession, and if, on the other hand, men were compelled to remain at work when they should have retired.

UNDUE DELAY.

Mr. T. W. F. Jones, Diocesan School, Molesworth street, Dublin, seconding the resolution, said that they wished to express hearty thanks to the Government for the very definite promise already given that the matter would be dealt with shortly, but already there had been undue delay. There ought to be some kind of advisory committee that would represent their views on such a subject, and to give their views to the authorities before anything definite was done. He had heard that the scheme was to be a contributory one by the schools and the teachers. Contributions from the schools would present tremendous practical difficulties, while under the inadequate grants to the schools it would place a burden on them.

They urged on the Government that the contributions from the teachers should be very mild, because the salaries that they received were not sufficient to bear any heavy contribution. He contended that the teachers of long standing should receive very liberal treatment, and that the scheme as a whole should be on a more liberal scale than in the North of Ireland. (Hear, hear.)

The resolution was passed unanimously.

EXACTING CONDITIONS.

Mr. C. S. Shankey, Kilkenny College, moved a resolution which stated that the present conditions necessary for registration as a secondary teacher were too exacting, and that some change was necessary to induce graduates to enter the profession. For registration, he said, a university degree, involving a four years' course, was necessary, followed by a post-graduate course of one year spent in taking a diploma in education. Afterwards one year's experience in an approved school was necessary before one could claim registration and State increments. At the end of six years a man might, if he was fortunate enough to get a post as one of the recognised teachers in a school, attain to a salary of £200 per annum, non-resident, plus State increment of £32. For five years he had earned nothing, and in the sixth year he must take whatever salary he could get as a non-registered teacher, in order to gain the experience necessary for registration. The consequences of that were now being felt in the difficulty of getting teachers to replace those who left. Very few men were taking the arts courses in the universities with the object of becoming teachers in this country. Most of them were destined for the higher divisions of the Civil Service, for Colonial appointments, or for teaching posts in England or elsewhere. The reason for that was the difficulty in becoming registered, and the time had come when some change was necessary if schools, especially those outside the university centres, were to be able to replenish their staffs with graduates who intended to make teaching in this country their life work.

The diploma in education was the stumbling block for most men, as the extra year increased the cost of training by about 25 per cent., as well as shortening their salary earning period by a year. The course of reading prescribed for the diploma was very helpful, but equal benefit could be derived by reading the course in private without the necessity for attending lectures. The diploma ought to be granted to men who passed the examination in the theory and practice of education, provided that they had at least one year's experience in an approved school, and that their work had been examined and pronounced efficient by the inspectors of the Education Department. The training in teaching which was given in connection with the diploma lectures was manifestly of little value, as every teacher would recognise that no useful purpose was served by sending a man to take a class of boys whom he had never seen before. The best and only way to become a teacher was by teaching under the guidance of an experienced teacher. He was not belittling the value of the diploma, but it was too difficult to obtain under present conditions.

PROVISIONAL REGISTRATION.

The Rev. W. Anderson, Mountjoy School, seconding the resolution, said that the present system was too stringent, and a teacher should be given a provisional registration when he entered the school, and allowed to show whether he was efficient or not under the guidance of the headmaster. The teacher was trained by the headmaster and his own intelligence, and a man who had taken a degree would think twice of spending another three years before he got his diploma in education, especially as the prizes were not high. If the provisional registration was in operation it would be an inducement to men who had got their degrees to join the profession. The registration question had been a terrible difficulty in the way of getting good men.

The Rev. A. Hanbridge, Dundalk, supported the resolution.

Mr. J. Thompson, Hon. Secretary, drew attention to the regulation of the Department, which stated that where it appeared to the Registration Council that an applicant for registration, although not fulfilling all the conditions of registration, possessed special qualifications, in addition to certain attainments, and had completed the prescribed period of teaching experience in a recognised school or schools, as defined in the regulations for the register, the Council might advise the Minister to admit such applicant to the register in respect of the qualifications which he held.

There was no reason, he said, why the Council, in special cases of hardship, might not interpret the regulation in a liberal sense.

The resolution was passed.

OFFICERS APPOINTED.

The following officers were appointed:—

Vice-President—The Rev. C. B. Armstrong, B.D., St. Columba's College, Rathfarnham.

Hon. Treasurer—Mr. J. Moore, Masonic School, Clonskeagh.

Hon. Secretary—Mr. M. J. Thompson, High School, Dublin.

BELFAST TRAMCAR AND 'BUS COLLIDE.

PASSENGERS' ESCAPE.

A collision between a motor 'bus and a Belfast tramcar took place last Saturday on the Lisburn road. The passengers in both vehicles, although considerably shaken, escaped without injury. Several panes of glass in the 'bus, which is owned by Messrs. McAlinden and McSherry, Lurgan, were smashed, but the tramcar was only slightly damaged. The 'bus, which had its full complement of passengers, was able to continue on its journey to Lurgan.

MOTOR CYCLIST'S INJURIES.

William Carmichael (25), of Laneragne, near Belfast, was admitted to the Royal Victoria Hospital yesterday with a fractured skull. He was riding a motor bicycle into the city, when he collided with a motor 'bus. His condition is serious.

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PLIGHT OF PEOPLE OF ERRIS.

POVERTY-STRICKEN FAMILIES.

It is learned that hundreds of people in the Barony of Erris, North Mayo, are in a state of semi-starvation. At the best of times the farmers there eke out only a miserable existence, but this year their plight is sad in the extreme. In many cases the farmers have no out-houses, and in the winter time cattle, pigs, horses and donkeys find shelter in the kitchens of the domiciles. The amount of relief distributed averages about £20 weekly, but this sum is wholly inadequate to ease the situation that has arisen. Ninety per cent. of the population of Erris speak the Irish language.

The following cases will serve to illustrate the widespread poverty that exists:—

One case, that of Mrs. Barrett, of Gortmellia, and her five children, has been given prominence in the local Press, but there are hundreds of other such cases. When a Press representative called on Mrs. Barrett he found her with her little children who had returned from school sitting around an old kitchen chair, which served as a table, eating potatoes with water sweetened with sugar. Her husband died in Scotland some time ago, and her only means of subsistence is 4s. a week out-door relief allowed her by the local Proposals' Committee.

PIG-STY IN HOUSE.

In an interview that our representative had with the Clerk to the Committee, that official narrated the case of Stephen Geraghty, of Mullaghroe. The man lives with a family of seven in a house consisting of one apartment, measuring 18ft. by 12ft. There is only one bed in the house, which is made of straw and covered with a few rags. The house had only one entrance, no back door, and inside was a small pig-sty, made of rough stones, which accommodated a pig and an ass. The only furniture was a small chest. The man himself was suffering from cancer of the lip. He owns an acre of land, but for the last four or five years he has been unable to pay any rent. Four shillings a week outdoor relief is his only income, and on this he has to maintain himself and his seven children.

Bridget Murray, her sister and brother, aged between 50 and 60 years of age, have to live on 8s. a week relief. Bridget Doherty lives at Knockanlower with her seven children on three acres of land, which consists mostly of bog. Her only source of income is 2s. 6d. a week relief. James Tighe, aged 36 years, and his wife, Catherine, aged 40 years, have a family of six children ranging in age from one year to fifteen years. The father is in ill health, brought on by starvation. The Proposals' Committee allow 5s. a week relief to feed this family.

3s. A WEEK.

Anthony Burke and his wife, Bridget, have six children. He has one cow and a piece of land valued at 18s. The only assistance he gets from the Proposals Committee is 2s. 6d. a week.

The husband of Mrs. Staunton, of Knocknalower, went to work in Scotland. He became ill, and his family now exist on 3s. a week outdoor relief. They have three acres of useless land, and no visible means of support, except a decrepit old cow. The greater part of the income of Patrick M'Grath, of Rossport, who has four children and a bit of land valued at £1 5s., is 1s. 6d. a week relief.

Thomas Boylan, Muingnabo, has nine children. He has three acres of land, the valuation of which is 9s. He is in receipt of 3s. a week outdoor relief.

James Reilly, of Elley Point, is the father of triplets, one boy and two girls, aged 11 years. He has another boy nine years of age, and he supports his family on the produce of five acres of land and 3s. a week outdoor relief.

CLAIMS OF NORTHERN POSTAL CLERKS.

THE TRADE DISPUTES ACT.

The third annual conference of the Post Office Clerks' Association concluded last Saturday in Belfast.

Mr. W. Mowat (Belfast Postal Workers) moved the suspension of standing orders and proposed the following resolution, which was defeated by 20 votes against 9:—"That this conference protests against the recent legislation known as 'the Trade Disputes Act,' and instructs the incoming executive to take all possible means to have same rejected." Mr. Donaldson seconded.

In opposing the motion, Mr. R. McConnell (general secretary) said that he was against the conference wasting time discussing political questions. The bill had nothing to do with the prestige of the civil servants. They were members of the British postal service, and were governed by a bill that became law six months ago.

It was decided, on the proposition of Mr. Mowat (Belfast), seconded by Mr. O'Connor (Belfast), to instruct the executive to press for a restoration of the original seven-day sick absence without a medical certificate.

The following motion was adopted:—"That this conference views with alarm the retention in the service of officials who have reached the retirement age; demands the immediate cancellation of all such retentions, and calls upon the Postmaster-General to retire in future all officials who attain sixty years of age."

SECRET REPORTING.

The following resolutions were also adopted: "That long-service increments granted to head postmasters should apply to the sorting clerks and telegraphist classes."

"That this conference condemns the departmental system of secret reporting, and demands that on appeal against infliction of punishment for alleged dereliction of duty the officer concerned shall have the right of access to all evidence on which the decision was based."

Mr. McGann, of Dublin, said that a strike policy in the Post Office would be an insane one and ought never be resorted to.

Mr. Hughes moved a resolution demanding the abolition of all Sunday mail despatches.

Mr. S. C. Doherty (Derry) seconded.

Mr. Parkes (Belfast) moved as an amendment that the conference demands the abolition of Sunday despatches in Class 2 and Class 3 offices.

On a division the motion was carried.

DUBLIN THEATRES AND CINEMAS.

THE WEEK'S PROGRAMMES.

Miss Violet Vanbrugh appears in "The Woman in the Case" at the Gaiety Theatre.

Chaffer's Midgets are the principal attraction at the Theatre Royal. The troupe includes acrobats, comedians trick cyclists, dancers and musicians. Others appearing are the Kinks in a sketch: "Fun on Broadway," Morris and Cowley, Annie Rooney and Teddie Grey, in a comedy act, "Going to the Dogs"; Kathleen Lafla, mezzo-soprano, and the Six Derby Winners, vocalists and dancers.

George Bernard Shaw's "Cæsar and Cleopatra" makes up the programme at the Abbey Theatre. There will be a matinée on Saturday at 2.30 o'clock.

The revue at the Olympia Theatre is entitled "Modern Times." Harry Ford is the leading comedian.

After a three weeks' successful "run" at the Capitol Theatre, "Ben Hur" is to be retained for a further week. An augmented orchestra will play at each performance.

The exploits of the captain and crew of the German cruiser, "The Emden," are the subject of the principal picture at the Metropole Cinema.

At the Grafton Picture House the film version of Gene Stratton Porter's novel, "Laddie," is to be screened. The film was produced in the Swiss mountains, thousands of feet above sea level.

This week's attraction at the Carlton Theatre is "The Lunatic at Large," a comedy film.

The Tunney-Dempsey fight and "Siberia" are being shown at the Rotunda Picture House.

Pauline Frederick plays a leading part in "The Nest" at the Sackville Picture House.

At the Corinthian the principal picture is "The Wrath of the Gods," by the producers of "The Metropolis."

Buster Keating appears in "The General" at the Pavilion, Kingstown. This film will be replaced on Wednesday by "La Boheme."

At Croom (County Limerick) District Court District Justice O'Donoghue imposed a fine of five guineas, and two guineas costs, on Michael Liston for the alleged using of a stroke haul for the purpose of killing a salmon on the river Maigue. The defence was that Liston was using the stroke haul to recover a lost line.

WHEN DUBLIN'S SITE WAS OPEN FIELDS.

DEVELOPMENT FROM THE TWELFTH CENTURY.

ANCIENT HIGHWAYS NOW MODERN STREETS.

An unexpected breath of romance stirred the humdrum proceedings of the Town Tenants Commission in Dublin on Saturday, when the story of the Pembroke estate was unfolded by Mr. Henry A. Vernon, F.S.I., agent of the Earl of Pembroke's Irish property, which comprises a large portion of Dublin and district.

The first of the line mentioned in Debrett is Sir William Herbert, K.G., K.B., who was Chief Gentleman of the Privy Chamber and Master of the Horse in 1549, twice Governor of the Forces sent into Picardy, twice Governor of Calais, and Captain-General of the Army beyond the Seas, in addition to holding many other positions of honour. He was created Baron Herbert of Cardiff and Earl of Pembroke, peerage of England, in 1551, and died in 1570.

Before the days of the first Earl, however, the family was connected with Ireland, and its history is bound up with the history of Dublin since the twelfth century, when the sites now covered for miles with dwellings, shops, mills and factories, were open land, cultivated only in parts, and, with the exception of one of two small hamlets, unpopulated.

BENEFICENT LANDOWNERS.

There can be little doubt that, as Mr. Vernon said on Saturday, the present condition of the property is due to the enterprise of the family, particularly during the last two hundred years. Virtually the whole potential building values were created by the family, who always used every endeavour to improve the amenities of the district, and to assist religious and philanthropic objects.

The estate, Mr. Vernon, explained, is held in fee-simple, subject in certain areas, to small fee-farm rents. The property naturally falls into the following divisions under which it is administered:—

1. City of Dublin.
2. District of Pembroke, comprising Sandymount, Merrion, Baggotrath, Irishtown, Ringsend, and portion of Simmonscourt.
3. Blackrock and Booterstown.
4. Dundrum and Drummartin.
5. Bray.

The City of Dublin property is bounded on the north by Grand Canal street, on the south by Leeson street, Lower, on the west by an irregular line running from the back of St. Vincent's Hospital to Lincoln place, and on the east by the Grand Canal.

ANCIENT HIGHWAYS IN THE CITY.

Leeson street, Baggot street and Grand Canal street are very ancient highways, and the only cross road connecting these three was a lane known as Charing Cross lane, now Merrion street, Upper and Lower. This lane separated the portion of the estate that was absorbed in the grounds of Leinster House from the remainder of what was, at the time of absorption, mostly pasture land, with one or two old houses irregularly placed, which have long since disappeared, the sites having been obliterated.

It may be added that in Baggot street, Lower, was a quarry, on the site of which now stands Rock lane, and opposite this was the site of the gallows. Since the period when this state of things was in being, the land between these ancient highways has been laid out in broad and open streets, with ample garden space provided for the houses erected thereon, which, in turn, give access to stable or service lanes at the rears.

THE COMING OF THE SLUMS.

Reservations were made of land for plantations and squares, which were planted and laid out. A site for a church was provided, which was built partly at the owner's expense, and the reserved ground adjacent laid out and enclosed. The ancient highways referred to have been widened and improved.

Plans for much of the above work still exist as approved by the then constituted authority, the Commissioners for Wide Streets.

The land bordering the Canal, which now forms the eastern boundary of the city, was enclosed by the owner, who maintained the railings and plantation at his own cost.

It may be pointed out that, in spite of the scheme of laying out adopted, owing to change of fashion and decay of business, much of this property has greatly deteriorated and slums have grown up.

WHEN THE DODDER HAD FIVE MOUTHS.

In the district of Pembroke, up to the early part of the last century, the bulk of the land now constituting the township was grass land, intersected by open drains and dykes. Near the coast there were large stretches of sand and slobland partially overflowed by the sea, the Dodder River finding its exit by about five different streams, forming a large more or less waterlogged delta. From this condition the district was rendered suitable for development by the owner's large expenditure in various works, the principal being as follows:—

(1) The construction of a long sea wall and embankment to protect the land adjoining the sea coast. This, between one and two miles in length, was built entirely at the owner's cost, and the cost of maintenance since erection has been borne entirely by him. When the district was constituted by Act of Parliament, in 1863, the sea wall was specifically excluded from the area affected.

RECLAIMING SLOBLANDS.

(2) The lower portion of the Dodder River was canalized and confined to one course, and the upper portion embanked, and a wall and footpath along it constructed.

(3) The open dykes and drains were filled up, and the Swan River Culvert and other underground culverts constructed to carry away the water that formerly flowed through the land. Considerable tracts thus drained were filled in and levelled.

(4) The majority, as will be seen from the names cited below, of the roads in the district were laid out, constructed, drained and planted at the owner's cost, and old existing main roads were improved by him, drained, and, where necessary, enclosed and planted:—Northumberland road, Simmonscourt road, Shrewsbury road, Waterloo road, Gilford road, Sydenham road, Wellington road, St. John's road, Lea road, Raglan road, Tritonville road, Durham road, Clyde road, Newbridge avenue, Gilford avenue, Burlington road, Herbert road, Oswald road, Elgin road, Ailesbury road, Strand road, Park avenue, Lansdowne road and Shelbourne road (widened out and constructed on the sites of former highways): Merrion road and Baggot street Upper (widened, planted and drained at owner's expense).

The cost of roads, as shown by evidence of Mr. Vernon, before the Select Committee of the House of Commons on Town Holdings in May, 1886, was £2 15s. to £3 per yard forward. The majority of these roads were for years maintained by the owner. Shrewsbury road was only taken over by the public authorities in 1903.

(5) Technical and primary schools for the district were built at Ringsend. This alone represents some £10,000, besides free sites being granted, and, in addition, proportional contributions were, and are still, made to teachers' salaries.

(6) A hospital was built at a cost of £5,000, besides free sites being given for hospital, nurses' home and recreation ground.

(7) £10,000 was contributed to the cost of the intercepting sewer found necessary when the system of public drainage was improved for the growing population.

(8) The public parks, Ringsend and Herbert Parks, and Sandymount Green, together with sums of money for development of same, were the gift of the owner, who has also contributed largely, both in land and money, to various public improvements. For instance, £2,200 was subscribed to the cost of the Town Hall, and £730, and a free site given to provide Lansdowne Road Railway Station. Practically all places of worship, with the necessary habitations and schools, have been granted free sites, together with money contributions to cost of erection. Herbert Park alone represents land value £12,000, and £500 was given towards the cost of a road through same.

BLACKROCK AND BOOTERSTOWN.

The Blackrock and Booterstown district comprises, roughly, the area lying between the sea on the north side, the Stillorgan road on the south, the west side of Booterstown avenue, and George's avenue and the lower part of Avoca avenue, Blackrock. The district includes part of the town of Blackrock and also the suburb of Williamstown, these with Booterstown avenue constituting the most densely populated portions, the rest being mostly houses, single or in pairs or small terraces, standing in more or less extensive gardens.

Until the end of the eighteenth century this area was only intercepted by one road

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GIFTS TO BELFAST CATHEDRAL

THE WAR MEMORIAL VOLUMES.

Preaching in St. Anne's Cathedral, Belfast, yesterday morning, the Dean of Belfast (the Very Rev. H. R. Brett, M.A.) said that he wished to seize the opportunity of reporting further gifts to the Cathedral. The last available piece of carving in the nave of considerable importance had now been allocated by the Cathedral Board to the Misses Shearman, who proposed to carve it, and the corbel above it, in memory of their parents and of their brother, who, while curate of Clontarf, Dublin, had died recently at an early age. Those who remembered the scholarly rector of St. Matthew's would recognise the fitness of dedicating the respond which would bear his name to the cardinal virtue of Wisdom, the archangel in the corbel above being Uriel.

The carving of the nave of the Cathedral being thus completely provided for, the decoration of the porches next demanded attention. One of these would be carved at the expense of a generous parishioner, Miss Elizabeth Guy, and the cost of the other would be borne by Mr. Andrew Clendinning, in memory of his wife. He suggested to those who might wish to follow these examples of generosity the provision of bronze doors for the porches.

A GIFT FROM DUBLIN.

The Committee of the Irish National War Memorial had presented the Cathedral with a set of the eight volumes, beautifully printed on hand-made paper, in which are recorded the names of close on 50,000 Irishmen who fell in the Great War. He did not anticipate that they, who had erected the west front of their Cathedral as a memorial to the men of Ulster, would hesitate to provide a fitting shrine for this memorial of a larger brotherhood—national, not provincial—whose bonds were not those of religion, politics, or descent, but of heroic hearts—the brotherhood of the glorious dead. The volumes would be to them tenderly precious.

The Dean concluded by saying that he was greatly touched a few days ago when from the previously unknown rector of a previously unknown parish in Co. Leitrim he had received a cheque for their building fund. "I am sorry the offering is not larger," said the writer, "but our population is small. We desire, however, to show our interest in your work of completing the building of your beautiful Cathedral." When he thought of the people of the parish of Rossinver, the words which St. Paul wrote to the Macedonians came to his mind: "Their deep poverty abounded unto the riches of their liberality." No more encouraging sign had yet reached them from any quarter than this unsolicited recognition of the value of the work to which they had set their hands for God and His Church.

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from south to north, i.e., Booterstown avenue, then known as Booterstown lane. The present Merrion avenue and Cross avenue were private occupation lanes through the owner's property, closed by gates. Early in the nineteenth century these roads were converted into main thoroughfares, and opened for public use. Booterstown lane was widened and sewered, as was also the Rock road between Merrion avenue and Blackrock.

Free sites were given for churches and chapels, and a Roman Catholic chapel and schools were built for the district by the owner at a cost of £7,950, and a post office was fitted up for the benefit of the inhabitants at a cost of £175.

When the railway was constructed, the slobland lying between the railway and the Rock road was reclaimed and drained at a cost of some £3,000, and the portion adjacent to the town of Blackrock was laid out and planted as a public park, and presented to the township, the cost of laying out being £1,600.

Williamstown, on the Rock road, was in 1901 practically created by the owner, being formerly a squalid and heavily populated collection of small houses. The site was almost entirely cleared, the former tenants being assisted, where they so desired, to erect new houses or shops; the main road was widened, and plantations formed, and land was given for public improvements, and land and money given the Blackrock Urban District Council in aid of the scheme for housing such former tenants as were not in a position to build. This alone amounted to £1,575; the expense to the owner was over £4,000 in addition to the above sum, but the outlay was justified, as the former state of things has been replaced by a village of good houses, forming an attractive approach to Blackrock.

THE EVOLUTION OF DUNDRUM.

The district comprising the townlands of Drummartin and Dundrum, in which is included the village of Dundrum, is bounded by the lines of the respective townland boundaries.

The two townlands were up to the beginning of the last century an open area consisting mostly of pasture land and quarries, with a few small houses in the vicinity of Dundrum Castle, Drummartin being known as Dundrum Quarry, there being only two small cottages on it, and it was untraversed by any roads. There are now two roads through this townland, for which the owner was partly responsible, and the ground is now occupied mostly by houses standing in large grounds.

In 1886 the village of Dundrum, formerly a patch of poor and squalid holdings, had been improved and laid out in its present condition; a middleman was bought out at a cost of nearly £5,000, the ground was cleared, sites laid out, the main road widened, footpaths kerbed, a handsome courthouse and police barrack were built, and the grounds laid out and enclosed at a cost of £2,152. Drummartin avenue and Eglinton terrace were also laid out and constructed, free sites given for Roman Catholic and Church of Ireland churches and schools. £350 was given towards the cost of the Roman Catholic schools and £995 towards the cost of the Church of Ireland church and glebe house, whilst the schools attached thereto were built almost entirely at the owner's expense.

DEVELOPMENT OF BRAY.

The Bray property comprises part of the Main street of Bray on the west side, extending along the Herbert road to Kilbride Church, bounded by the Bray River and the wall of Mount Herbert, and on the south and south-east and east sides by the lands of Violet Hill, the Killarney road and the Vevay road, as far as the back of the houses on the upper side of Church road.

The portion of the estate in the High street was remodelled on similar lines to those adopted in Dundrum, a middleman was bought out at a cost of £11,620. The ground was cleared, and new sites laid out. The Herbert road, Church road, and King Edward road were all constructed entirely at the owner's expense, thereby opening up land for extensive building purposes, besides forming main roads through the district, which were greatly needed. Herbert road, in fact, forms the main road to the junction of the Enniskerry and Glen of the Downs roads, whilst Church road and King Edward road form a direct line of communication between Herbert, Killarney, and Vevay roads.

Altogether some 3.3 miles of public roads have been constructed at the owner's expense, whilst free sites have been given for churches, vicarages, and schools, the Roman Catholic chapel and presbytery, the hay market, and that portion of the site of the Town Hall, which is the owner's property.

Mr. Vernon told the Town Tenant's Commission that he had given this outline of the development of this estate, with the view of showing that the present site value is due very largely to the immense amount of money which has been spent by successive owners in such development, and that it is accordingly only equitable that as leases fall in, increased rents should be demanded. The building leases were granted at extremely low rents, more especially in view of the fact that the roads were in most cases constructed at the owner's expense. The average ground rents in Waterloo road, Wellington road, and Clyde road, etc., do not exceed £6 per house, while the rents of those houses in Merrion square, which are still held under the original building leases, average between £7 and £8 per house.

It would, of course, be quite impossible, he said, to give any estimate of the total amount spent on development, improvement, and maintenance during the last 150 to 200 years, especially for the earlier period, as there is no continuous series of data available, but in the aggregate it amounts to an enormous sum, as can readily be seen from a perusal of the statements of evidence made by the late Mr. Fane Vernon in 1914 in support of deductions under Section 25 (4) (b) and (c) of the Finance (1909-10) Act, 1910, copies of which are in my possession.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

THE PEAT INDUSTRY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—The Great War increased the price of coal, especially to those countries which had to import it. Italy, previously dependent on imports for supplies of coal, decided to develop her own resources. Her deposits of peat, equal to about one *per cent.* of those of Ireland, were too important to be overlooked. Peat power stations were established by private companies on conceded bogs. The electric power is fed into the national network. One example of a scientifically designed power station exists at Torre del Lago, in Northern Italy. There peat mud, with a calorific value of 70 *per cent.* that of Irish peat is dredged from the Lago di Massaciuccoli and used to produce power. The station output is thirty million units *per annum*, with an installed capacity of 15,000 kw. (about the same capacity as the Pigeon House). The bye-products are five million kilogrammes each of sulphate of ammonia and of tar. The station uses 100,000 tons of peat *per annum*, and the cost of power is one-fifth of a penny *per* unit.

Physical conditions in Ireland are more favourable than in Italy for such peat development. The economic method would seem to be to establish power stations on the bogs. The price of the produced power should compare favourably with any pure water-power scheme. Peat-power and water-power are favoured by opposite kinds of weather; so it is obvious that they should supplement each other, both feeding a single network. The procedure outlined by Mr. Griffith—cutting and drying the peat, transporting and distributing it uneconomically (as 30s. *per* ton in Dublin indicates), to have it finally vested in uneconomic grates, designed for using the more concentrated fuel, coal—is thoroughly uneconomic, and should not be subsidised.—Yours, etc.,

DESMOND MCATEER.

79 Merrion square, Dublin, October 22nd, 1927.

OMNIBUS STATIONS IN DUBLIN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES

Sir,—May I draw attention to the ever-increasing 'bus service conveying passengers from all parts of the country to and from this city? If 'bus stations were provided at the different main outlets—Parkgate street, Drumcondra, Donnybrook, etc.—it would be a welcome relief to the traffic of the centre of the city, where all cars are parked and cause considerable congestion; and at the above-mentioned places suitable accommodation can be easily acquired. For instance, at the city side of Parkgate street there is a small, enclosed useless park which, with very little alteration, would make an admirable stand for 'buses coming from southern and westerly directions, and would relieve the abnormal traffic on both quays, which are not wide or spacious enough to cope with the present tram, motor, 'bus and ordinary vehicular traffic. There is an extremely good tram service from this point to the principal business parts of the city, and the ordinary pedestrian will be afforded a little more safety, while the daily accruing accidents, too, will be minimised.—Yours, etc.,

N. J. MURPHY.

Arbour Hill, Dublin, October 22nd 1907.

WIRELESS RECEIVING SETS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—Over a month ago I sent a wireless receiving set for repair to a Dublin firm. After more than a fortnight I wrote asking them when I might expect it back, but to this letter I got no reply. I was not, however, surprised at this, because, during and following Civic Week, Dublin merchants were so much occupied in preaching business efficiency at Rotary Club luncheons and Publicity Club balls and paying court to the three Queens of Beauty that they could not be expected to find time for unimportant details. I tried them with another letter, and this time I got a reply stating:—"We are having Customs trouble in trying to get this set back to the works for testing, Customs declaring full duty must be paid when this set is returned from works."

I may say that when I bought this set less than twelve months ago I paid about £15 Customs duty, and, if I am obliged to repeat that operation now, the luxury is more than I can afford. I should like to know if it is really a fact that the regulations require full duty to be paid on a set returned to the owner after being repaired by the English manufacturer. Perhaps, some member of the Dail would ask a question that would elucidate the matter, which must have some interest for a great many people in the Free State.—Yours, etc.,

E. T. KEANE.

Kilkenny, October 22nd, 1927.

COBH.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—All the pother about Cobh appears to me to be due to the fact that, while we English-speaking people are quite familiar with the sound of "ph" as "f," we have, strange to say, no experience of the hardened form "bh" as "v," and consequently we shy at it. If you change Cobh to Cove, be consistent and make the change also in the case of Filadelfia, Fœnix Park, etc. There is no reason in pronouncing Cobh as "Cobb," whatever may be said for the fellow who (as I have actually heard) in all good faith calls it "Cob-aitch."—Yours, etc.,

"D. P. M."

Dublin, October 22nd, 1927.

THE PRONUNCIATION OF "MARGARINE."

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES

Sir,—Your correspondent is, of course, quite right about "margarine." It is astonishing how often the word is mispronounced in these countries—possibly through feminine and Cockney influences. Nobody would dream of speaking about "Marjaret" or "Marjate," but in these matters the crowd does not think at all. I was told the other day by a Scotsman that the best English is spoken by Edinburgh, with Dublin a very good second; but still we follow the fashion over here, and write and pronounce "kinema" incorrectly, while "lenth" and "strenth" (without the "g") are heard on all sides. We do not, however, adopt the "idears" of Oxford or Cambridge, while our poets never think of rhyming "gore" with "war."—Yours, etc.,

JOHN B. KELLY.

Clonskeagh, Dublin, October 22nd, 1927.

THE MOTHERS' UNION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—May I draw the attention of those desiring to attend the Mothers' Union Conference in Belfast to the liberal concessions granted by the various Irish railway companies—namely, return tickets at single fares, available from Tuesday, November 1st, until Friday, November 4th, inclusive? Those who have not already done so should at once apply to me for vouchers, giving their names and addresses, and stating by which railway line and from what station they wish to travel. These vouchers, when filled in and signed, will then be sent to the respective traffic managers for their signature, returned to this office and distributed to applicants.

In view of the near approach of the Conference prompt action is imperative.—Yours, etc.,

ELIZABETH DRAPER-NEWMAN.
General Organising Secretary.

33 Molesworth street, Dublin, October 22nd, 1927.

MOTORING ACCIDENT.

NENAGH RUGBY PLAYER'S DEATH.

Mr. Francis Fitzgerald (28), of Nenagh, who met with a motoring accident last Thursday night when returning to Nenagh from a Rugby match in Limerick, died in Barrington's Hospital, Limerick, last Friday night. His companion, Mr. H. Hassey, also of Nenagh, was also injured, but not seriously. The motor bicycle and carrier were smashed. The deceased man, who leaves a wife and three young children, was a member of the Nenagh Rugby Club.

The Nenagh-Templemore Rugby match, and the annual Rugby dance to be held in Nenagh, have been postponed.

The inquest was opened at Barrington's Hospital, Limerick, last Saturday by Mr Coroner MacNeice and a jury, and adjourned for a month.

The driver of the van involved in the accident, Patrick Rowland Crossley, of Capel street, Dublin, has been arrested, and charged with the manslaughter of Fitzgerald, and remanded on bail to the next Limerick District Court.

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The Biennial General Meeting of the above-named Society will be held at the Central Offices of the Society, 1 Mountjoy Square, Dublin, at 2.30 p.m. sharp on Monday, the 14th day of November, 1927.

The Business of the Meeting will be:
1. The Election of such Officers and Members of the Committee of Management as are subject to election in accordance with the provisions of the Rules, and
2. Other matters relating to and affecting the interests of the Society.

JOHN D. NUGENT, Secretary.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE GOODS OF
EDA SARAH MEDORA DOWSE, late of The Castle, Carnew, County Wicklow, Widow, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic., Cap. 54, that the above-named Deceased, by her Will dated the 5th day of March, 1926, bequeathed the following legacy:—
To the Representative Body of the Church of Ireland the sum of Two Hundred Pounds in Trust, to apply the income thereof for the benefit of the Sustentation Fund of the Parish of Carnew.

The said Testatrix died on the 1st day of July, 1927, and Probate of her said Will issued forth of the Principal Probate Registry in the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann, on the 16th day of September, 1927, to the Executors in the said Will mentioned.

Dated this 21st day of October, 1927.
COLLIS and WARD, Solicitors for the said Executors, 13 Clare street, Dublin.
To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests, and to all other persons Concerned.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
JOHN J. O'REILLY, late of the City of Cranston, County of Providence and State of Rhode Island, U.S.A., Esquire, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons having claims against the estate or assets of the said John J. O'Reilly, who died on the 27th day of March, 1926, are hereby required to furnish (in writing) particulars of such claims to the undersigned Solicitors for the Administrator, on or before the 15th day of November, 1927, after which date the Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets, having regard only to the claims of which particulars have been given as above required.

Dated this 22nd day of October, 1927.
MOLLOY, FAYLE and CO., Solicitors for the Administrator, 18 Eustace street, Dublin.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.
In the Goods of
ELIZABETH ANNE PEACOCKE, late of 72 Frankfort avenue, Rathgar, in the County of Dublin, Spinster, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic., Cap. 54, that the above-named Elizabeth Anne Peacocke, by her Will dated 4th July, 1921, bequeathed her property, subject as therein mentioned, to the Methodist Foreign Missions.

Dated this 22nd day of October, 1927.
A. D. KENNEDY and FIGGIS, Solicitors for the Executrix, 63 Dawson street, Dublin.
To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests, and to all other persons concerned.

Gazette Notice—Adjudication—Public Sittings—17.
SAORSTAT EIREANN.
HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE—IN BANKRUPTCY.
ANTHONY JOSEPH WALSHE, of Fenagh, Foxfield, Carrick-on-Shannon, Co. Leitrim, Grocer, Provision and Hardware Merchant, was on the 21st day of October, 1927, adjudged Bankrupt.

Public Sittings will be held before the Court at the Law Courts, The Castle, Dublin, on Friday, the 11th day of November, 1927, and on Friday, the 25th day of November, 1927, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, whereat the Bankrupt is to attend, and to make a full disclosure and discovery of his estate and effects. Creditors may prove their debts, and at the First Sitting choose a Creditor's Assignee. At the Last Sitting the Bankrupt is required to finish his examination.

All persons having in their possession any property of the Bankrupt should deliver it and all debts due to the Bankrupt should be paid to A. G. Hollinshead, The Castle, Dublin, to whom creditors may forward their affidavits of debt.

W. A. T. COBBE, Court Registrar.
JOHN L. SCALLAN and CO., Solicitors, 25 Suffolk street, Dublin.

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PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE ROYAL.
6.40 .... TWICE NIGHTLY .... 9.0.
THE GREAT AND NOVEL
ATTRACTION,
CHAFFER'S
WONDER MIDGETS,
THE SENSATION OF TWO CONTINENTS.
The Company consists of 22 of the World's Smallest Adult Artistes, who will give a Unique Variety Entertainment as Contortionists, Bicycle Riders, Musicians, and Comedians. Their achievement is astounding. 26 to 38 inches tall, 18 to 35 years old.
NOTHING LIKE THEM EVER SEEN BEFORE.
IN ADDITION TO THE GIANT,
7 FEET 5 INCHES TALL,
Who appears with them.
AN EXCELLENT COMPANY OF CAREFULLY SELECTED VAUDEVILLE ACTS WILL BE PRESENTED.
Usual Hippodrome Prices. Children Half Price to Dress Circle and Parterre, First Houses Only.
INTENDING PATRONS ARE ADVISED TO BOOK IMMEDIATELY.

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DANCING
4 TO 8 p.m. DAILY
TEA 2s. DANCING FREE.
1/- TEAS ON BALCONY.

THEATRE ROYAL.
THE DUBLIN
PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY,
IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE
NO 1 ARMY BAND
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29th,
AT 3 P.M.
CONCERT.
Conductor—COLONEL FRITZ BRASE.
The Programme will include:
"SYMPHONIE FANTASTIQUE" (Berlioz)
(First Performance in Dublin).
"PIANO CONCERTO" (Tschaikowsky).
Soloist—MISS RHODA COGHILL.
SINGLE TICKETS, 5/9, 4/9, 3/6, 2/9, 1/9.
SINGLE BOOKING NOW OPEN at the Theatre, where Programmes may be obtained and Seats Booked for the Full Series of FIVE CONCERTS. Season Tickets at Special Rates, 22/6, 21/-, 16/-, 12/-, 8/-.

THE PAVILION,
DUN LAOGHAIRE. 3.30 to 10.15.
TO-DAY and TO-MORROW ONLY,
BUSTER KEATON
In his Clever New Comedy Production,
"THE GENERAL."
At 4, 6.20 and 8.50. Chaplin Comedy, Pictorial, &c.
Commencing WEDNESDAY, for Four Days,
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POSITIVELY LAST 6 DAYS.
3 COMPLETE PERFORMANCES DAILY.
HOUSE CLEARED AT CONCLUSION OF EACH SHOW.

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A HOUSEHOLD WORD IN DUBLIN.
OVER 100,000 HAVE SEEN THIS FILM AT THE CAPITOL.
SPECIAL FACILITIES GRANTED TO SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

SOCIETY OF
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL.
ANNUAL APPEAL FOR FUNDS.
A PUBLIC MEETING
WILL BE HELD IN THE
MANSION HOUSE,
AT 8 p.m., ON
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25th.
The Speakers will include the following:—
THE PROVOST OF TRINITY COLLEGE.
THE RIGHT HON. LORD FFRENCH.
HUGH LAW, Esq., T.D.,
ANDREW O'SHAUGHNESSY, Esq.,
CHARLES BEWLEY, Esq., K.C.,
HUGH KENNEDY, Esq.

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C.M.S.
A MISSIONARY
EXHIBITION
WILL BE HELD (D.V.) IN THE
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LOWER ABBEY STREET, DUBLIN.
From
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25th, to SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29th (inclusive).
Open 2.30—10 p.m., Saturday 2.30—6 p.m.
ADMISSION .... ONE SHILLING.
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TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), at 3 p.m., by
His Grace the Lord ARCHBISHOP OF DUBLIN.
CURIOS AND EXHIBITS FROM
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SALE OF WORK.
COUNTRY MARKET.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE,
DUBLIN.
PUBLIC LECTURE,
"LINGUISTICS and SOCIOLOGY,"
to be delivered by
PROFESSOR J. VENDRYES,
of the University of Paris
THIS DAY (MONDAY),
At 4 p.m., in the
PHYSICS LECTURE THEATRE OF THE COLLEGE,
Earlsfort Terrace.
The Lecture will be delivered in French.
K.A.A.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE,
DUBLIN.
LECTURES IN MUSIC.
THE SCHOOL-MUSIC TEACHERS' CERTIFICATES.
PROFESSOR J. F. LARCHET, Mus.D.,
Will Lecture on the Teaching of
AURAL CULTURE, THEORY AND THE APPRECIATION OF MUSIC,
On FRIDAYS, at 5 p.m. (Seniors), and SATURDAYS, at 11 o'clock (Juniors),
DURING THE MICHAELMAS TERM.
THESE LECTURES WILL COMMENCE ON FRIDAY, 28th OCTOBER.
K.A.A.

THE LADY ARDILAUN
EDUCATIONAL ENDOWMENT.
The Trustees will meet in NOVEMBER to consider applications for Help from the above Fund.
The income of this Trust Fund is to be applied for the assistance of
(1) Irish Gentry, being members of the Church of Ireland.
(2) Professional Men, being members of the Church of Ireland.
(3) Clergymen of the Church of Ireland,
in the Education of their Children.
Further particulars can be obtained from the Secretary, Rev. J. H. YATES, B.D., 32 Stephen's Green, E.

DREADNOUGHT SYSTEM OF DRESSCUTTING.
Invented by F. E. WRIGHT.
MISS FELL, OF SOUTHPORT, WILL GIVE FREE, TO LADIES ONLY,
On TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), OCTOBER 25th, At 7.30 p.m., ARCADIA, BRAY;
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27th, at 3 and 7.30 p.m., ENGINEERS' HALL, 35 DAWSON ST., DUBLIN;
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28th, at 7.30 p.m., TOWN HALL (MINOR HALL), RATHMINES; and
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1st, at 7.30, TOWN HALL, KINGSTOWN,
An interesting and instructive Demonstration on DRESSES, AND HOW TO MAKE THEM. Showing how every lady can be quickly taught Dress-cutting and Tailoring; always achieving success and satisfaction absolutely WITHOUT FITTING, WASTE or WORRY. The ORIGINAL SYSTEM. THE MOST UP-TO-DATE SYSTEM. FULLY TRAINED TEACHERS. Classes will be formed for the Autumn term. Prospectus and all information will be given at the Lecture. Teachers—Miss FELL and Miss HALFPENNY.

The Irish Times.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1927.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

Widespread grief has been caused by the death of Cardinal O'Donnell at Carlingford last Saturday.—(Page 7.)

Professor J. W. Bigger, the President-Elect, delivered an address on the expectation of life and the bacteriological laboratory at the opening meeting of the fifty-third session of the Dublin University Biological Association in Trinity College on Saturday night last.—(Page 9.)

The Schoolmasters' Association, at a meeting in Dublin on Saturday night, expressed pleasure at the announcement of the Free State Government of its intention to introduce a scheme of pensions for secondary school teachers.—(Page 5.)

Mr. J. Harold Pim and Mr. John Charles Denton Carlisle have been elected directors of the Provincial Bank of Ireland.—(Page 6.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

The Archbishop of Canterbury yesterday issued his reply to the open letter which was addressed to him by Dr. Barnes, the Bishop of Birmingham.—(Page 7.)

ABROAD

Mrs. Grayson and her pilot were compelled to return to Old Orchard, Maine, yesterday, after 9 hours and 47 minutes in the air on their flight from America to Denmark. Engine trouble developed off the coast of Nova Scotia. This was their third attempt, a flight on Saturday lasting only 25 minutes.—(Page 7.)

An Italian Army officer claims to have attained a speed of 303.12 miles per hour in a racing seaplane over the international course off Venice, thus beating all "records"—(Page 7.)

SPORTING

At Sandown Park on Saturday Confirmation won the Cholmondeley Handicap Steeplechase.—(Page 10.)

At Stockton Caramond won the Stockton Autumn Handicap.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL

Loan rates were easy in Lombard street, and advances till Monday were made at 3 per cent. and under. Discount rates were unchanged. Sterling in New York further improved.—(Page 4.)

Religion and Charity.

Within a few weeks death has robbed Ireland of two eminent churchmen. Even as sorrow for Dr. Bernard's loss was not confined to Irish Protestants, so Cardinal O'Donnell's death is not mourned by the Roman Catholic community alone. The Cardinal was not only a great churchman, but a great Irishman. No man ever stood more firmly upon the claims of his own Church. The Gaelic movement, so long in actual conflict with the Anglo-Irish outlook, owes at least as much to him as to any other man of the last two generations. During many years of agrarian and political strife he was a fearless supporter of the Nationalist cause. Nearly always in Ireland men have earned one party's love at the cost of another party's hate; but, without sacrifice of an iota of his principles, Cardinal O'Donnell kept the esteem of all classes of Irish Protestants. He won this unsought triumph because his nature was free from any trace of pettiness; his patriotism always was ready to credit political opponents with motives not less sincere than his own. The value of such qualities—hitherto sadly rare in Irish life—is illustrated to-day by the national tributes of sorrow that his death has provoked. They have been offered by the heads of both Irish States and by leading representatives of all the Churches. The primatial City of Armagh has heard a simultaneous tolling of the bells of two cathedrals.

Before Ireland obtained self-government the chief evil which pessimists were wont to predict as an outcome of that event was a wide outbreak of religious intolerance. We do not pretend that the result of five years of self-government has been all gain and no loss. We do not claim that sectarian bitterness and misunderstanding have disappeared from Northern Ireland or even from the Free State. Sometimes still, at religious conferences, in sermons and in letters to the newspapers things are said that cause deep hurt to Irish Protestants; and Protestant controversialists are not always guiltless of a like offence. On the whole, however, the last five years have proved that the confident prediction of sectarian strife was based on a misreading of history. Since the Free State came into being its Government, representing the faith and traditions of the majority, has not escaped the minority's criticism. In a few matters—notably the compulsory teaching of Irish—the Government has sought to over-ride the minority's honest convictions, and we regret the fact. Such cases, however, are few, and in no single instance can they be ascribed, with any decency, to sectarian prejudice. The Free State Government's general attitude to the Protestant minority has been broad-minded and scrupulously fair. So the foundations of a fine tradition have been laid, and its gradual influence upon Northern opinion will be of the most precious kind. Perhaps, when such men as Cardinal O'Donnell, Dr. Crozier, Sir John Mahaffy, and Dr. Bernard met in 1917, to take counsel for a distracted Ireland, they were building better than th[...]ew.

So long as Christians, equally sincere followers of different creeds, find error in one another they will refuse to abstain from controversy. We ought to be able to expect, however, that they will abstain from language that cannot fail to give sore wounds and to shock deep convictions. When statesmen like Mr. Cosgrave are careful to respect the feelings of minorities, churchmen ought to be, at least, not less careful of their words. Ireland is not the only country where, from time to time, the *odium theologicum* does ill service to the cause of Christ. We do not propose to discuss the differing views which have made the most solemn mystery of the Christian faith a cause of public strife in England; but we venture to say that in this matter the Bishop of Birmingham certainly is not less guilty than Canon Bullock-Webster, the author of the unseemly protest at St. Paul's Cathedral. No rebuke could be more effective than the quiet, but penetrating, words in which the Archbishop of Canterbury answers the Bishop's "open letter." Dr. Barnes's offence is not, as he seems to think, his views about evolution, which to-day most churchmen are able to reconcile quite satisfactorily with the Christian teaching. His offence was an offence of manners rather than of doctrine. When he condemned as "magic" and "Hindu idolatry" the Anglo-Catholic conception of the Eucharist he gave the most grievous pain to thousands of sincere believers, and, whatever we may think of their belief, we can find no excuse for the Bishop's flagrant lapse from charity. It is not in this temper that the Church of England will reach a solution of the difficulties that seem to threaten her existence as a national institution.

Oxford in Peril.

Since the Armistice of 1918 considerably over one million houses have been built in Britain under State-assisted schemes. This fact gives some conception of the rapid speed at which reconstruction and expansion are proceeding. From any high site in the suburbs of London to-day the eye can overlook a sea of new roofs, as if the city were casting its winter weeds out-worn. In the rural districts whole new villages have sprung up, and only last week it was announced that the London County Council had secured a large stretch of land for the construction of a satellite suburb. The need to control this headlong development is recognised by all intelligent observers, but the means by which it can be done are somewhat obscure. Town-planning legislation, and the enlightened administration of the Ministry of Health by Mr. Neville Chamberlain, cannot curb certain large tendencies. It has been realised suddenly that the beauty of the City of Oxford stands in danger of being clouded by industrial development, but no legal powers exist to check the threatened evil. Long ago Newman asked for his beloved university city that a green belt of three miles around the city wall should be preserved from all building operations. The idea was admirable, but how could it be enforced? Since Newman's day building has proceeded apace. Suburbs have risen. Large business quarters have covered land that once Arnold walked in leafy solitude, meditating, perhaps, his famous lines concerning

> . . . . those wide fields of breezy grass
> Where black-wing'd swallows haunt the glittering Thames.

Views that have been for many generations of Oxford scholars symbol of the academic calm and sweetness have been obscured by mean brick walls. To-day, Oxford as it is seen from the large and busy railway station, looks hardly different from any brisk industrial town in Southern England, and the eye must search patiently for the spires, towers and domes of its academic heart. If the process were to continue, antique Oxford in a decade more would be hidden within a new city, and the most venerable English University would have little advantage, as to environment, over the youthful University of London, in Bloomsbury. Last Saturday Viscount Cave, the Lord Chancellor, presided at a meeting in the Sheldonian Theatre, at which Oxonians anxious to save the threatened home of their student days inaugurated an Oxford Preservation Trust. Funds will be raised for the purchase and preservation of land vital to the city's amenities, and thus private enterprise will do what lies beyond the legitimate scope of State action. It is certain that there will be a liberal response from all parts of the world; for where are there men to whom the thought of a deflowered Oxford is not sacrilegious? Who, that is a stranger to Oxford, but has hoped to follow Elia's ghostly footsteps through its quietude at some vacation time? "The walks at these times are so much one's own."

The Motor Show.

The Motor Show at Olympia closed last Saturday after breaking all "records" for attendance and volume of business done. More than a quarter of a million people visited the Show, travelling to London for the purpose from all parts of the British Isles; and our London Correspondent records the estimate that orders were placed by traders for cars to the total value of some £40,000,000. The boom in the motor trade thus shows no sign of slackening, but rather promises to grow yet larger. The market will not be saturated in these countries until cars are owned by as large a proportion of the people as in the United States. Among the most striking features of the Show was the prominence of small cars of low horse-power. Hitherto the "two-seater" has been a more expensive luxury and a more uncommon vehicle than the car capable of carrying half-a-dozen persons. The reasons for this fact were partly technical, since a high pitch of refinement in mechanism needed to be evolved before compact and small motor vehicles could be built at an economic price. Partly, also, the reasons were social. Persons who could afford cars chiefly required vehicles that could be turned to commercial uses. To-day the cost of motoring has been brought within the resources of comparatively humble folk. The small family wishing to possess a little pleasure car can afford the luxury. Purely domestic cars, therefore, are multiplying apace. Soon no young man will be counted an eligible husband unless he can offer his bride the amenities of motoring as well as a home. It is too early as yet to assess the effects upon human happiness of this revolution in social habits; but few will doubt that the new mobility, which opens the wide land to the city dweller, can fail to prove less than a wonderful aid to health in body and mind. The change is also of first-rate economic importance. It is agreeable to learn from the Motor Show that England now is in the forefront of the motor industry and is equipping her own people. The vast growth of the English motor trade is an encouraging token of nation-wide economic revival.

A Brush with Pirates.

Messages from Hong Kong describe an exciting adventure with pirates. A week ago the steamer Irene, carrying some 260 persons, left Shanghai for Amoy, under the Chinese flag. Among the passengers were seventeen pirates, who carried out their meditated *coup* last Wednesday morning. The six European officers were surprised and overpowered, and the bridge was captured, giving the pirates control of the vessel. Two terrible days were endured by the captive passengers. The pirates, firing pistol shots at intervals in order to intimidate their victims, sailed the ship for Bias Bay, which they reached on Thursday night. They ordered the officers to lower the ship's boats, evidently with the object of making off with the plunder that they had seized. At this moment, however, a veritable god from the machine came to the rescue. From the darkness the British submarine L 4 suddenly appeared, turning a searchlight on the captured vessel. An attempt was made to escape, but two shots from the submarine checked the Irene's flight; the second shot killed one of the pirates in the engine-room just when he was on the point of shooting the English engineer. Fire, and a fight with pistols, terrified the passengers, mostly poor Chinese folk, and many threw themselves overboard; but at last the L 4 succeeded in rescuing almost all the unhappy people and in capturing the pirates. But for the presence of the British craft in Chinese waters, its commander's promptitude in detecting the mischief that was afoot, and the timely interference. 250 Chinese people now would be destitute and many, perhaps, dead. It is a stirring tale; but it is doubly interesting to us for the reason that the submarine officer bears the good Irish name of Lieutenant F. C. Halahan.

WAR ON SUNDAY GOLF.

PLAYERS OBSTRUCTED IN WALES.

For the second Sunday in succession play was impossible yesterday on the ground of the Aberdovey Golf Club, North Wales. A crowd of about forty people gathered at the first tee and prevented two players—the club secretary and a keen golfer from the Midlands—from playing.

The secretary placed his ball on the tee and in a loud voice called "Fore"; but when he prepared to swing his club the people crowded in so that he could hardly move. The players thereupon returned to the clubhouse.

Yesterday's incident follows a campaign of protest by a number of residents in Aberdovey against Sunday golf.

As a result of the scene on yesterday week, when a crowd of several hundred people gathered at the first tee and prevented play, sixteen summonses have been issued, and these, it is understood, will be heard on Friday next.

CASH ON DELIVERY.

A POPULAR SYSTEM IN GREAT BRITAIN.

The use of the C.O.D. parcel system in Great Britain, contrary to the declaration of some pessimists, has shown a gradual and persistent increase since its inception, in March, 1926.

"The rate of posting C.O.D. parcels to-day is steadily and consistently increasing," said a Post Office official last Saturday. "During the first year of service slightly over 1,000,000 parcels were posted. The annual rate at present is over 1,500,000.

"It may form only a small proportion of the trade of many firms, but certainly it is being more and more utilised and appreciated."

CHILLED BEEF "WAR."

£30,000,000 LOSS TO THE INDUSTRY.

There is no immediate prospect of a settlement in the "meat war," which up to now has cost the Argentine chilled beef industry over £30,000,000.

The "war" is between the American companies, represented by Swifts, Armours, and Wilsons, and the English companies, represented by the Vestey interests, for the control of the British market.

Trouble has arisen in connection with the quantities that each company shall import into Britain, and whether certain shipping companies shall be entitled to employ part of their fleets in carrying meat cargoes.

A fortnight ago it looked as though a settlement had been reached. Lord Vestey, the head of the Blue Star Line and the Union Cold Storage Company, holds that the Blue Star is entitled to employ ships to bring in the imports of other countries, and this point is causing the delay in the settlement.

All that he could say on Saturday was that "conversations" are still progressing.

Every day that these "conversations" are taking place means a further loss. Some idea of these losses can be gained from the fact that the Sansinena Company of the Argentine has had to admit a fall of £680,000, and has written down the value of its ordinary stock by 30 per cent.

Argentine dealers are perturbed at the situation, and intend to ask their Government to take up the matter unless this conflict, which has been going on for over two years, is settled.

PROVINCIAL BANK OF IRELAND.

TWO NEW DIRECTORS.

It is announced that Mr. William T. Brand has retired from the Board of the Provincial Bank of Ireland, and that Mr. J. Harold Pim and Mr. John Charles Denton Carlisle have been elected directors.

Mr. Brand was the oldest member of the board of the bank. He was present at the meeting in Dublin in July last.

Mr. J. Harold Pim has been associated with the business life of the City of Dublin for the last thirty-five years. He is, perhaps, best known as a member of the firm of Messrs. Stokes Brothers and Pim, chartered accountants, 36 College Green. He is also interested in the firm of Messrs. Pim Bros., South Great George's street. A graduate of Dublin University, he became a chartered accountant in 1894. His father, the late Mr. Thomas Pim, was for nearly all his life connected with the firm of Messrs. Pim Bros., South Great George's street.

THE BISHOP OF HOKKAIDO.

The Rev. Gordon J. Walsh, formerly Rector of St. Peter's, Athlone, and for some years one of the C.M.S. missionaries in Japan, will be consecrated to the See of Hokkaido on All Saints' Day, in Canterbury Cathedral. The bishop-elect is an Irishman, educated in Dublin University and in Irish Orders; and at the invitation of the Archbishop of Canterbury the Bishop of Limerick, as a representative of the Irish Episcopate, will take part in the consecration.

TREATY PENSIONERS.

In reference to articles and letters which have appeared in the *Irish Times* from time to time regarding Article 10 of the Treaty, Mr. F. Scales writes to say, for the information of all those who have retired in accordance with the Treaty, that the Irish Treaty Pensioners' Association, of which he is honorary secretary, was formed in 1922 with the object of safeguarding and preserving the general interests, rights, and status of the members. He asks all desiring to become members to communicate with him at 2 Brighton road, Rathgar, Co. Dublin, as soon as possible.

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS

High Courts, the Castle, 11 a.m.
Circuit Courts, the Castle, 11 a.m.
Rotary Club Luncheon, Clery's Restaurant, 1 p.m.
Dublin Sketching Club Exhibition, Mills' Hall, Merrion row.
Gaiety Theatre—"The Woman in the Case."
Theatre Royal—Chaffer's Wonder Midgets.
Abbey Theatre—"Cæsar and Cleopatra."
Olympia Theatre—"Modern Times."
Capitol—"Ben Hur."
Carlton Cinema—"The Lunatic at Large."
Metropole Cinema—"The Emden."
Grafton Picture House—"Laddie."
Sackville Picture House—"The Nest."
Corinthian Cinema—"The Wrath of the Gods."
Rotunda Pictures—Tunney v. Dempsey Fight Film.
Pavilion Cinema, Dun Laoghaire—"The General."

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The Duke and Duchess of York left Sandringham last Saturday for London, where their daughter, Princess Elizabeth, had arrived on the previous day. Prince Henry, who was hunting with the Quorn Hounds last week, returned to Buckingham Palace on Saturday.

The Duke of Connaught left Clarence House, St. James's, yesterday for Paris, where he will remain for a couple of days before he continues his journey to the Riviera.

Princess Louise Duchess of Argyll has accepted Lady Richardson's invitation for the "At Home" in aid of the Waifs and Strays Society on Thursday, November 3rd, at 10 Kensington Palace Gardens. Princess Beatrice will open the annual sale of the Ladies' Work Association at the Park Lane Hotel on November 10.

The Earl of Rosse has left Birr Castle for England. He will be best man at Lord Weymouth's wedding next week, and will leave shortly for America.

Lady Burrell and her daughter, who spent the summer at Lisbellaw with Mr. and Mrs. Porter Porter, have left for America, where they will spend the winter. Lady Decies has returned to London from Vichy. Lady Musgrave left Tourin, County Waterford, last week for North Wales.

Among the recent arrivals at Harrogate are the Earl of Kingston, Lady Susan Gilmour, Lord and Lady Lawrence, Lady Ampthill, Lord and Lady Armstrong, General Sir Archibald Hunter, Lady Boyd-Carpenter, Sir John and Lady Lorden and Lady McLaren.

The Earl and Countess of Bessborough have returned to London from the country. Lord and Lady Plunket have arrived in London on their return from New York. Countess Jellicoe has returned from Scotland, and has joined Earl Jellicoe in London. Viscountess Dunedin has returned to London from Paris, where she spent a few days on her way back from Biarritz. Lord and Lady Kylsant will arrive in London to-day from South Africa.

Under the auspices of the Women's National Health Association of Ireland, Lady Everard and the Committee of the Aberdeen Golden Wedding Presentation Committee have issued invitations for a reception at the Shelbourne Hotel, Dublin, on Monday afternoon, October 31st, when a presentation will be made to the Marquis and Marchioness of Aberdeen and Temair.

A reassuring bulletin has been issued respecting the condition of the Dowager Countess of Onslow, who has been lying seriously ill at Pyrford Court, Woking, the residence of her daughter, the Countess of Iveagh. Major-General J. Vaughan, manager of the Craven Lodge Club, though suffering from shock and injuries to his head, is progressing favourably after the riding accident which he sustained at Melton Mowbray last week.

The engagement is announced between Arthur de Burgh Morris, the Sherwood Foresters, eldest son of the late Lieutenant-Colonel Godfrey Morris and Mrs. Morris, of 98 Pilbeach Gardens, London, and Frances Scott Doreen, fourth daughter of Sir F. Henry and Lady Miller, of Aughenish, Buncrana, County Donegal.

The marriage will take place early in November of Frederick William Ryan, M.A., T.C.D., Barrister-at-Law, only son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Leeson Ryan, of Clyde road, Dublin, and Mary Rebecca (Bimbo), daughter of Mr. and the late Mrs. George Byrne, 36 Elgin road, Dublin.

Dr. Harris Tomkin has taken up residence at 3 Fitzwilliam square.

Dr. Margaret Nicholson will be away from 39 Palmerston road for one week.

Mr. William Pearson has changed his residence to 31 Fitzwilliam place.

Mr. K. Mulderry, Surgeon Dentist, has returned to 67 Harcourt street and 3 Kenilworth road, Rathgar.

The date of the Portarlington Harriers' Hunt Ball is changed to January 3rd, and will be held at Moore Abbey, Monasterevan, by kind permission of Mr. and Mrs. John McCormack. Miss Billie Weiner's Band.

MARRIAGE OF CAPTAIN R. G. A. GUN-CUNINGHAME AND MISS E. F. G. O'CALLAGHAN.

A very pretty wedding took place at Christ Church, Delgany, on Wednesday, October 19th, between Captain R. G. A. Gun-Cuninghame, elder son of Major C. R. D. Gun-Cuninghame, Mount Kennedy, Co. Wicklow, and Miss E. F. G. O'Callaghan, elder daughter of the late C. R. O'Callaghan, of Cahirduggan, Co. Cork, and of Mrs. O'Callaghan, Goodbrook, Delgany. The bride, who was attended by her sister, Miss Ivy O'Callaghan, was given away by her uncle, Mr. T. M. O'Callaghan, the best man being Mr. H. Gun-Cuninghame. The church was beautifully decorated by friends of the bride, principally in shades of mauve, to tone with the bridesmaid's frock. The Service was conducted by Rev. Canon Weir, M.A., Rector of the Parish, assisted by Rev. J. Wylie, Rector of Newtownmountkennedy, and the music was tastefully rendered by Miss Irwin. The bride wore a lovely picture gown of cream satin beauté, with a full overskirt of silk net frills; the Florentine bodice was trimmed with orange blossom, a wreath of the same being worn over a veil of white tulle. Masters Pat and Eric Parr strewed rose leaves before the happy pair as they came down the aisle. Many friends of the bride and bridegroom witnessed the ceremony, but owing to a recent bereavement in the bride's family the reception was very small. The presents were numerous and beautiful. The bride's and bridesmaid's frocks were made by Anderson and Cooke, Dublin.

With months of unsettled weather ahead, a good Raincoat such as the Ladies' Double Texture Coats showing at Switzers becomes a necessity. These excellent coats are windproof and absolutely rainproof, and can be had in Riding Shape or Double-Breasted style at 3½ gns. and Single-Breasted at 3 gns.

Ciro Pearls alone reproduce with absolute fidelity all the rare beauty of real pearls. A remarkable choice is to be seen at the Ciro Pearl Salon, Switzers. London prices.

Youthful Frocks in Taffetas, frilly and fluttering flares, in Peach, Flame, Blues, etc., new season's shades, from 29s. 6d. to 59s. 6d. W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 South Great George's street.

Wedding Presents. See special show of Noritaké Ware.—Chancellor, 7 Grafton street.

Royal Hibernian Hotel, Dublin, and Salthill Hotel, Monkstown, now quoting special winter terms. Meals interchangeable between both hotels. For particulars apply Manager.

Fur Renovations and Remodelling. Expert work. Moderate charges.—Forrest and Sons, Ltd., Grafton street.

Arnotts, of Henry street, invite inspection of their Autumn Fashions.

Power and Slattery, 17c Dawson street, are receiving daily deliveries of new Tweed and Cloth Fur-trimmed Coats from 3½ guineas. Felt and Homespun Hats in attractive shapes and colourings, from one guinea. A beautiful range of Jumper Suits from 2½ guineas.

Furs—Exquisite productions of the Furrier's art at Crooke's, 10 Duke st. Established 1840. Some high-class Coats in stock at moment.

New coat in mole caracul panne with wolf roll collar at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton st.

PASSENGERS BY ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

Arrivals—Surg.-Lt. A. E. Phillips, R.N.; Charles F. Huet, W. E. Huet, Sir Christopher Nixon, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. McCoy, Sir James C. Percy, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. G. Spillane, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Callow, P. MacGrath, David Foley, J. K. Quinn, Dr. Edward F. Stephenson.

Departures—E. Bain, E. Francis Evans, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Howe.

PASSENGERS BY THE B AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.

Arrivals—Senator Moran, E. C. Harte, Walsh Barry, J. H. McFarlane, T. Driscoll, Canningsby, J. Cassidy, R. Stewart, G. Newell, J. J. Duncan.

Departures—C. J. Cox, R. Reader, C. Newmark, A. Ryan, T. Kennan, J. Gillespie.

McBirney and Co., Ltd., are this week making a special show of Dresses and Silks, and include some exceptionally cheap lines which have recently been cleared from a leading manufacturer.

Buy Sportswear from "The Sportswear Specialist." Full range of sizes always in stock. Constant deliveries direct from Paris. Marleen, "114" Stephen's Green, West.

Chiropody, Face and Hair Treatment.—Mrs. Bithrey, 5 St. Stephen's Green.

Furniture Stored in the only Fire-proof Depository in Ireland. Millar and Beatty, Ltd.

Gibson and Co., Ladies' Tailors. Specialists in designing and cutting. All models made on the premises. Inspection invited.—141 Lower Baggot st.

COLLEGE HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

The opening meeting of the 158th session of the College Historical Society will be held on Wednesday evening next at 8.15 o'clock in the Dining Hall, Trinity College, Dublin. In addition to those already announced, the speakers will include the Right Hon. Daniel Wilson, K.C., Judge of the High Court of Northern Ireland. Tickets may be had by application to either of the secretaries at the Society's rooms in Trinity College.

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY.

SPECIAL SERVICE IN ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.

A Service of Remembrance will be held in St. Patrick's Cathedral on Sunday, 6th November next, at 3.15 p.m., when members of the British Legion will attend.

The Governor-General will be represented by Lord Ardee, C.B., C.B.E., and Earl Haig, Grand President of the Legion, has appointed Lieutenant-General Sir Hubert Gough, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., K.C.V.O., C.B., to represent him.

The preacher will be the Rev. E. H. F. Campbell, M.A., B.C.F., and the collection will be on behalf of Earl Haig's Fund.

Applications for tickets to admit to the Cathedral should be addressed to "Remembrance Service Committee, St. Patrick's Cathedral," before the 28th inst., and should be accompanied by stamped addressed envelope

£20,000 BEQUEST TO MISS JOSE COLLINS.

MR. FRANCIS CURZON'S WILL.

The income for life from £20,000 to Lady Robert Innes-Ker (Miss José Collins, the actress) is a bequest in the will of the late Mr. Francis Arthur Curzon, who left estate valued at £181,588

Mr. Curzon, a noted theatre proprietor and racehorse owner, whose horse, Call Boy, won the Derby this year, also gave £1,000 to his private secretary, James Robert Douglas Meacock; £500 to his trainer, John E. Watts; £500 to Gertrude Butler, for many years in his employment; £250 to his medical attendant, Robert Hugh Wilkin, and £250 each to the executors.

All his other property he leaves in trust for his daughter, Pamela Stephanie, and her children as she may appoint, or, on failure of these trusts, to Cecilia Claribel Cavendish, daughter of his late wife (Isabel Jay) by her former husband.

The executors are Mr. Tom Benjamin Vaughan, Haverstock Hill, London, N.W., theatre manager; Mr. Sydney Charles Thomas Littlewood, of Kingston-on-Thames, solicitor, and Mr. Edward Parker Moorhouse, of Bedford street, Covent Garden, London, W.C., solicitor.

MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

THE COMPLETE COUNCIL.

With the appointment of Professor John Dundon to represent University College, Cork, on the Medical Registration Council, the *personnel* of that body is now complete. The other nominations are:—

Executive Council—Dr. H. F. Moore and Dr. J. N. Meenan.

Royal College of Surgeons — Sir Arthur Chance.

Royal College of Physicians—Dr. T. G. Moorhead.

Apothecaries Hall—Dr. E. Magennis.

Trinity College, Dublin—Professor A. F. Dixon.

University College, Dublin — Dr. D. J. Coffey.

General Medical Practitioners of the Free State—Dr. R. J. Rowlette and Dr. Maurice Hayes.

University College, Galway — Professor Stephen Shea.

The members of the Council, according to the Medical Practitioners Act, will hold office for five years, and any vacancy arising from death, resignation, or disqualification, will be filled by the body which the deceased or resigned member represented, the new member to hold office for the residue of the term of the deceased or resigned member.

The duties of the Council will be the administration of the Act, including the preparation, establishment and maintenance of a register of practitioners in the Free State. When the Council has fixed a date for the establishment of the register—not later than ten months after the passing of the Act—the Minister for Local Government and Public Health, by notice in *Iris Oifigiuil*, will declare the establishment of the register as from that date.

CHURCH EXTENSION IN BELFAST.

DIOCESAN COUNCIL REPORT.

In the course of the annual report of the Diocesan Council of Down and Connor and Dromore, which is to be submitted to the Diocesan Synod on November 1st next, it is stated that in view of the urgent need for additional Church accommodation in Belfast, the General Synod most generously allocated for the purpose of meeting that need the sum of £4,365, which it had placed to reserve in 1926, pending a decision on the question of the additional bishopric. It further voted £1,635 for the same purpose, making a total of £6,000.

"It is heartening to know," the report adds, "that our brethren elsewhere realise so practically that a great work of strengthening our Church is pressing upon us in this diocese. The lead given by Southern Churchmen is an incentive for our own members to undertake the task of providing churches as their forefathers did in a previous emergency."

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—Secondary depressions, associated with a deep depression far out on the Atlantic, will cause rain at times in Scotland and Ireland, with southerly to south-westerly winds. Similar weather will probably begin to spread eastwards across England, but in Eastern England and the Midlands most of the day should be fine, apart from fog.

Ireland, all Districts.—Wind south to south-west, moderate to fresh, probably becoming stronger; mainly cloudy; rain at times; mild.

South-West Seaboard, Mouth of Channel to South-West Ireland.—Freshening south-west wind, cloudy; rain at times; visibility good, deteriorating later; sea moderate.

Irish Sea and St. George's Channel.—Wind variable and light, becoming south to south-west, moderate to fresh; fair at first, rain later; some coastal mist early; sea slight to moderate.

North-West Seaboard, Northern Ireland to Hebrides.—Wind westerly, backing to south, light to moderate, freshening later; rain at times, visibility moderate to good; sea moderate.

Dixon and Hempenstall Barometers and Thermometers, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

DUBLIN WEATHER REPORT.

Oct.	Bar.	Thermometer. Temp. 9 p.m.	Max.	Min.	Grass Min.	Wind.	Rain, m.m.	Sun hours
17	29.980	46.2	56	46	48	N.W.	0.3	1.5
18	29.838	50.5	54	44	37	W.	0.9	2.2
19	29.982	40.0	55	40	43	S.W.	0.2	4.5
20	30.108	42.0	50	37	30	—	—	2.0
21	29.630	53.3	54	41	37	—	8.4	—
22	29.262	49.7	53	45	39	N.E.	37.3	—

THE SUN.

To-day.....Rises ... 7. 6 Sets 5.11
To-morrow.. " ... 7. 8 " 5. 9
Lighting-up Time 6.11

HIGH WATER—DUBLIN.

To-day.....Morning 10.48 Afternoon 11. 2
To-morrow.. " ... 11.16 " 11.30

MARRIAGE OF SIR JOHN SIMON'S SISTER.

Miss Margaret Pole Simon, the only sister of Sir John Simon, K.C., M.P., was married very quietly to Dr Daniel Leigh Morgan, of Pembroke Dock, South Wales, at Highgate, North London, Congregational Church on Saturday. Fewer than a dozen people, consisting of her mother, Mrs. Edwin Simon, who travelled from Wales for the ceremony, her brother, and most intimate friends were present.

Miss Simon was married in her travelling dress, and immediately after the Service Dr. and Mrs. Morgan left for a short wedding tour.

The scheme of things is unreasonable if man's personality is destroyed at death, so that all his spiritual achievements are wasted save for such fragments as may survive through his influence on others.—The Bishop of Birmingham.

An ass or a prig who goes up to a university never leaves it without knowing he is an ass or a prig.—Mr. Baldwin.

LONDON LETTER.

THE MOTOR SHOW.

50 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
SUNDAY NIGHT.

The motor industry of Great Britain ought to be secure for the next twelve months; for competent judges declare that orders have been placed during the Motor Show at Olympia for something like £40,000,000 worth of cars. This does not mean that cash deposits have been paid, but that the agents have ordered cars in the full expectation of being able to sell them. These figures suggest that by the close of next year another quarter of a million cars will be running on the roads, and that the motor industry will be able to absorb many thousands of workers now drawing the "dole." Olympia will remain an interesting centre for the motor world until the end of next month; for after the Motor Cycle Show, which opens to-morrow week, the Commercial Motor Exhibition will occupy the building until November 26th.

The Southend By-Election.

The Countess of Iveagh, the Conservative candidate for the Southend-on-Sea seat, vacant by the succession of her husband to the Peerage, in her confession of political faith says: "On the question of giving women the right to vote at the same age as men I am entirely in agreement with the policy of the Government. The proposal is the only logical outcome of pronouncements by leaders of the Conservative Party from 1918 onwards, including a formal statement of Conservative principles issued by leaders of the party in 1921, to which no exception was taken in any quarter, that the Conservative Party desired that women should play their full part in public life. If votes are given to women at all, there is no logical reason for drawing any distinction of age between the sexes. The hackneyed phrase 'flapper vote,' is, of course, a misnomer, and I do not think anyone who has taken the trouble to think the matter over will contend that young women of twenty-one and upwards are either less or more endowed with common-sense and level-headedness than young men of the same age."

Emigration to Canada.

Canada is sending twenty-five medical men to this country to examine intending emigrants before they book their passages and make arrangements generally for transfer to the Dominion. Six of them have arrived already, and the others will follow during the next few days. Every doctor will have an area allotted to him throughout the country, so that the intending emigrants may be examined as closely to their homes as possible and without incurring expenses. This is one of the steps by which it is hoped to place emigration on a sound business basis as far as this country is concerned. In the first four months of this year foreign Europeans supplied just over half of Canada's immigrants.

Speed in the Air.

The high speed development station of the Royal Air Force at Felixstowe, which provided the British flying team for the Schneider Cup Race, may be divided shortly into two separate sections. At present both land and sea machines are used at Felixstowe, and the Air Ministry is considering a proposal to transfer the seaplane section to Calshot, on Southampton Water. Should this transfer take place, it is almost certain that Cowes will be chosen as the venue for the next Schneider Cup Race, as there will be ample hangar accommodation and moorings for seaplanes both on the Isle of Wight and on the mainland in the vicinity of Calshot.

Greyhound Racing.

The growth of the greyhound racing movement has been watched with something approaching jealousy by several of the Labour leaders, as the craze has spread so greatly among the members of the working classes. Mr. Ramsay Macdonald is said to take a very gloomy view of the craze for the sport, and in private expresses his opinion freely. Mr. Snowden agrees with him. It is reported that enormous losses have been experienced by bookmakers during the season which ended last night. At the White City the closing was attended by the band of the Irish Guards, which paraded the track playing "Land of Hope and Glory," "Auld Lang Syne," and the National Anthem amid scenes of great enthusiasm.

A Fashionable Wedding.

The Duke and Duchess of Devonshire have lent their town house in Carlton Gardens for the wedding reception of Lady Blanche Beresford, who marries Mr. Richard Girouard at Westminster Cathedral on Wednesday. Lady Osborne Beauclerk, mother of the bride, is a sister of the Duchess and Lady Anne Cavendish. The most important *débutante* of the season will be one of the bridesmaids. The bride will wear a gown of pale gold, and her two aunts have lent a quantity of old Brussels lace to form the train. The bridesmaids will wear sunset coloured dresses. The Marquis of Waterford will give his sister away.

Sugar Beet.

British farmers cannot be charged with having failed to adapt themselves to new conditions since the establishment in this country of the sugar beet industry. The area cultivated has grown in two years from just over 22,000 acres to nearly 130,000 acres, while the quantity delivered to the factories has increased in the same period from 183,000 tons to 1,117,000 tons, and the production of British beet sugar this year will exceed 3,000,000 cwts. That the farmers have efficiently cultivated the new crop is shown by the consistent improvement in the yield *per acre*, which has now reached 8.63 tons, compared with 8.1 tons for the 1925 crop.

Linen Exports to America.

Imports of linen to the United States for the first half-year of the present year reached the high total of twenty-two million dollars, of which fabrics accounted for twelve millions, towels and napkins for two millions, plain handkerchiefs for a million and three-quarters, and embroideries and embroidered articles three millions. The principal source of supply for all these lines, excepting apparel, embroideries and laces, was the United Kingdom, the bulk of the finer goods originating in Ireland, although fairly considerable business is now being done by Belgium. In the manufacture for export of fine linen Czecho-Slovakia has manifested a marked development. Linen handkerchiefs come, for the most part, from the United Kingdom; but lace originates in China and Italy, and embroideries come from Italy, the Azores, Madeira and China. In damasks, for which there is a growing demand, the United Kingdom is just ahead of Czecho-Slovakia in value of goods supplied, but the quantity actually imported from the latter country was much greater. There have been larger imports of plain handkerchiefs from the United Kingdom, which supplies about 75 *per cent.* of the total amount imported, and British business in lace-trimmed or embroidered handkerchiefs also increased.

It is notorious that under modern conditions every man who attains to high office is overworked, and most of all every Prime Minister.—Lord Grey of Fallodon.

Body and soul are inextricably interdependent. You simply cannot say your prayers if you are suffering from a bad attack of indigestion.—The Dean of Chester.

The policy of the British Empire is the maintenance of peace, and in the prosecution and execution of that policy the greatest instrument is the British Navy.—Lord Beatty.

PRIMATE'S REPLY TO DR. BARNES.

BISHOP'S "GORILLA SERMONS" NOT NOVEL.

"REAL OFFENCE."

NEED FOR USE OF THE MOST CAREFUL LANGUAGE.

THE Archbishop of Canterbury yesterday replied to the "open letter" addressed to him by Dr. Barnes, the Bishop of Birmingham, whose recent sermons resulted in a scene in St. Paul's Cathedral, London, a week ago.

While condemning the protest which was made in the Cathedral by Canon Bullock-Webster, the Archbishop points out to Dr. Barnes that his utterances must have caused pain to many Christians and counsels "the scrupulous use of the most careful language possible in dealing with doctrinal matters of deep solemnity."

He says that the Bishop may dismiss the fear that "anyone in England desires to drive you to Rome or to Tennessee."

The controversy yesterday was the subject of many pulpit references, not only by Anglican Bishops, but by Cardinal Bourne. The latter declared that Bishop Barnes had been sufficiently rebuked for the tone of his remarks by members of his own communion.

FULL TEXT OF THE ARCHBISHOP'S LETTER.

LAMBETH PALACE, LONDON, S.E.,
22nd October, 1927.

MY DEAR BISHOP OF BIRMINGHAM,—I have read with great care your open letter to myself, published two days ago. You will not doubt my condemnation of the unseemly incident in St. Paul's Cathedral, which you have taken as an occasion for writing to me. Not by action of that sort can the cause of truth be reasonably set forward; but, speaking generally, I think that you mistake what it is that has evoked from cultured men, with scientific and philosophical, as well as theological, knowledge, vehement reprobation of some of your recent utterances.

With regard to these I have probably received, publicly or privately, more communications than anyone except yourself. I do not attach great weight to the denunciations of what I have heard described as "the gorilla sermons." I believe that you over-rate the adherence of thoughtful people to creation theories of fifty to a hundred years ago, and I scarcely think that among those who listen to you there are a great number who hold the opinions which you satirise.

"NOT NOVEL."

For myself, at least, I can say that your position of the biological question in outline, and so far as I understand it, is one with which I personally have been familiar for more than fifty years. Believe me, this teaching, however admirable, is to most of us not novel, and I do not think that those who hear you on the subject with interest and advantage would recognise themselves as "wistful agnostics."

As far as I can judge, it is not on what you have said with regard to that branch of science or theology that the attention of thoughtful men has been centred. It is too familiar. You may, I am certain, dismiss, my dear bishop, the fear that anyone in England desires to lead or drive you either to Rome or to Tennessee.

The words which give rise to the sort of indignation I refer to are the words which you use in dealing with the Sacrament of Holy Communion. It is on what you have said respecting sacramental doctrine that intelligent and large-minded churchmen, lay as well as clerical, have approached me day by day.

CAREFUL LANGUAGE NEEDED.

I have an intense dislike to the use of the daily Press for the discussion of such subjects. I purposely refrain from trying, in such a letter as this, to discuss the profound and life-giving doctrines involved, but, of course, I am more than ready to go into the matter with yourself at any time, should you so desire.

But your open letter forces me, however reluctantly, to some reply. Formally and publicly, you invite me "to consider what steps can be taken to help those of us who are giving of our best to fit the Church to be in the future the spiritual guide of an educated nation." It is a large and difficult matter, needing time and care, but I can say at once that, in my judgment, one of the first steps is to secure the scrupulous use of the most careful language possible in dealing with doctrinal matters of deep solemnity which affect the devotional thoughts and prayers of Christian people.

That duty, obligatory upon every Christian teacher, is peculiarly incumbent upon us bishops, who have to weigh the effect of our words upon all sections of the great body to whom we desire to be fathers in God. We promised on our consecration day to be ready, "with all faithful diligence, to banish and drive away all erroneous and strange doctrine contrary to God's word"; and while, as you have truly said, "smooth, unctuous platitudes" are not enough, yet in all the range of our duties there is none which calls more clearly for the exercise of tender and fatherly carefulness in word and act.

REAL OFFENCE.

Now, in your open letter to myself, you assure me that what you have been lately doing, and have been denounced for doing, is, as "a bishop of the Church of England," to "uphold its traditional sacramental doctrine," and to "affirm," as we all affirm, that "the doctrine of transubstantiation is untrue."

Do not suppose me to be unmindful of our duty to stem whatever trend there is that way. The duty is clear. But when I turn to the Birmingham sermon, which aroused criticism, I find that the statement you make to me fails to describe fairly what you there said. In your natural and legitimate desire to denounce the few in the Church of England who hold or teach the doctrine of transubstantiation you were led to speak of the sacrament of Holy Communion in a way which—quite reasonably, as I think—gives real offence to the great body of devout Churchmen and Churchwomen, and, not least, to those who are able to give scholarly as well as reverent consideration to the sacramental doctrines which our Church upholds.

> **WHAT DR. BARNES SAID.**
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> **Preaching at a dinner-hour Service at the Birmingham Parish Church on October 6th Dr. Barnes said:—**
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> *"There are among ourselves to-day men and women whose sacramental beliefs are not far from the cultured Hindu idolaters. They pretend that a priest, using the right words and acts, can change a piece of bread, so that within it there is the real presence of Christ. The idea is absurd, and can be disproved by experiment."*

"ALMOST CONTEMPT."

I do not believe that you had any intention of wounding the souls of honest and faithful English Churchmen; but you ignore, or belittle, the position and teaching of those within our Church who stand in the tradition of such English bishops as Andrewes or Ken or Wilson, or, in our own day, Edward King or Charles Gore. Nay, more. Your words seem to me capable of being so interpreted as to include in reprobation or almost in contempt the position of the great mass of Churchmen who would associate themselves with the teaching of such leaders, as, say, my own great masters, Bishop Lightfoot or Bishop Westcott, or who have caught the devotional spirit of the hymns of Charles Wesley. I prefer to think that, if you re-read your Birmingham sermon in the light of such criticism as your letter has drawn from me, you will feel that what I have said is not unfair.

SELF-RESTRAINT.

You say in your letter that your teaching is "positive and unreported." Your Birmingham sermon, however, contains some such positive teaching. And, as I read your words about the grace of Our Saviour's presence through the whole act of worship, they leave me wondering whether, if you were to consider what are their implications, you would not find further cause to modify the width and scope of your negative and destructive statements.

We have all been impressed in these recent months by the self-restraint and the considerateness for others shown by many of the clergy and laity who have been foremost in our Prayer Book discussions. To the larger tasks which lie beyond these discussions we bishops must lead the way. But we shall lead only if we walk "with all lowliness and meekness with long suffering, giving diligence to keep the unity of the spirit in the bond of peace.—I am, yours very truly,

RANDALL CANTUAR.

CARDINAL BOURNE'S SERMON.

"He should at least have made himself acquainted with the teaching of the Catholic Church on the subject of transubstantiation, which he wholly travestied," said Cardinal Bourne, referring to the Bishop of Birmingham, in a sermon at Coventry last night.

"You read many times in the newspapers, particularly Sunday papers, that the Church has failed, and will continue to fail, unless it is prepared to make a restatement of the teaching of Christianity, and to adapt that teaching to the modern circumstances in which we are living.

"I am here this evening not to re-state Christianity, but to say again many things I have said in the past. Some of those who appeared curious about what I was going to say this evening have asked me if I were going to deal in controversy. I do not know. I am going to deal with realities and objective facts, and, if I controvert things other people are saying, or opinions they hold, I trust I shall do so without in any way unnecessarily hurting their feelings, or offending their sentiments; but, at the present time, there is a new and strange sensitiveness on the part of the members of the Elizabethan Church of this country, which seems to resent restatement of things we have said, and things we intend to say over and over again in the future.

"AN EVIL PAST."

"The fabric of Protestantism in this country, and in all others, has been built up on falsehood regarding the Catholic Church.

"I do not think there is any man who would maintain that the promoters of Protestantism in the sixteenth century were models of truth or accuracy. That heritage of falsehood has come down to the present day.

"I do not accuse those who distort the

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OTHER VIEWS ON THE CONTROVERSY.

THE ARCHBISHOP OF YORK:

How humiliating that around so gracious and wonderful a gift of Divine condescension there should have arisen these embittered controversies! It is distasteful to me to criticise a man for whose ability and earnestness I have the greatest respect, but I cannot but deplore the methods in which the Bishop conducts his controversies. Surely it is the first duty of a Christian, not least of a Christian bishop, to try to understand the opinions of those whom he criticises, but the Bishop seems almost obstinate in his inability to understand.

There are, indeed, certain crude and exaggerated expressions of belief in the reality of Christ's presence in the Sacrament which it is well to exclude from the thoughts with which men surround the holy mystery, but he seems to cover with the scorn with which he treats these crudities and exaggerations a great realm of belief which is contained within the formularies of the Church of which he is a bishop, and which underlies the thankful experiences of the whole historic Catholic Church of Christ from the beginning, and it is in terms which he must know wounds the most hallowed convictions of multitudes of his own flock and fellow-Churchmen.

I cannot think this is the spirit which should animate a Christian thinker and teacher. The Bishop seems to me to impart into his discussions conceptions and methods which may be appropriate as far as mathematics and physics are concerned, but which are quite inappropriate in the sphere of spiritual experience.

So far as I can estimate his views, the whole conception of the material and the spiritual which he holds seems to me strangely narrow and meagre, and out of accord with the new trends even of scientific thought.

Is there no gift of the spirit to matter when the sympathy of a friend is conveyed through the pressure of the material hand? Is there anything incredible in the belief that, by the Spirit of God, there is given to natural bread and wine the gift of the spiritual reality of Christ's presence? It is by faith that we ourselves can make this reality real to ourselves.—*At York.*

BISHOP RUSSELL WAKEFIELD (former Bishop of Birmingham).

As always, the Archbishop is statesmanlike and fatherly in spirit to the whole Church. Speaking as one who is no longer one of his effective officers, I can only say how sorry I am, after his magnificent service and his ever sympathetic methods, that this burden should have come upon him—though, if the Church of England was to go through such a phase as it is now going through, we can only be thankful that Dr. Davidson is still at the helm.

The Archbishop, with his wonderful wide-mindedness—absolutely necessary in the chief ruler upon earth of the Anglican Church—is more likely to bring us together than anyone who could only see with full force one side of the difficulties through which we are passing.

The Archbishop's reply shows that even our chief finds a difficulty in speaking decisively upon the subject of the Blessed Sacrament. With the best will in the world it must be a terrible strain to the clergy and to those who train or guide them, to know what to do or say as to the manner in which the Presence of Christ is to be put before worshippers.

BISHOP OF PLYMOUTH:

Questions as to the exact nature of the Eucharistic presence, which the Bishop of Birmingham seems unable to let alone, are particularly unsuited to newspaper controversy. I think many of those who call themselves Anglo-Catholic are quite as much alive to the danger of magic and superstition as Dr. Barnes, but sweeping charges couched in provocative language can do nothing but harm to the cause of religion.

Controversy rightly conducted is not necessarily injurious, but we must at least try to understand each other, and give most favourable consideration to views that may seem to us inadequate or inaccurate. Truth does not lose by being spoken in love rather than in contemptuous language.—*In an interview.*

PREBENDARY GOUGH:

I think there has been a little want of sympathy in some of the references concerning the Blessed Sacrament. I am wholly with him (Dr. Barnes) in his aversion to superstition.

The danger is that men and women are forgetting to-day that God created them to take responsibility, and the most terrible danger that ever beset humanity is the position prevalent to-day of trying to take men from the fellowship of being a worker with God and of just making him comfortable. Just to keep our life in order and to supply our table is to lose the sense of Divine relationship, and those who shirk their responsibility must miss the great harvest of life; for it means that they are declining the great creative purpose.

God does not drop the dole upon us, but he summonses us to work and come into his fellowship.—*At Brompton Parish Church, London.*

DEAN INGE:

Christianity is not primarily a doctrine to be believed, nor a law to be obeyed; it is a life to be lived. That is the difference between religion and philosophy or science. Religion is both intellectual and practical. It bids us to live out our thoughts and to think out our lives. That is why there are so many difficulties about religion.

If the clergy were simply custodians of a deposit, as some would have them think —if they had simply to hand on a form of sound words, their task would be easier; for it would make but little moral demand upon them. But it was a living word that they had to hand on. In other fields, such as science and scholarship, there was not the same timidity or bitterness as in theological controversy. They must not look for truth only in their own party or their own Church. It is flowing through a hundred channels.—*At All Saints' Church, Ennismore Gardens, London.*

DR. DRAPER, Master of the Temple.

It is a great intellectual fault of our time that so many people, even educated people, still think and feel that science and Christian belief are, so to speak, in opposition. Belief grows richer and stronger, not weaker, as it understands

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IRISH PRODUCE.

ITS PLACE ON THE ENGLISH MARKET.

A NATIONAL BRAND FOR BUTTER.

FROM OUR AGRICULTURAL CORRESPONDENT.

While undoubted progress has been made in the marketing of fresh butter and eggs, it is clear, from the unsatisfactory exhibit of Irish duck eggs at the London Dairy Show last week, that all producers are not doing their duty. Competition is now so keen that one bad sample is enough to spoil a market for the season. The only remedy appears to be the drastic one of cancelling the licences of offenders or limiting the number of licensed egg exporters. In the butter trade, along with combined marketing, there is need for grading and the adoption of a national brand under the Dairy Produce Act, in order to ensure confidence amongst buyers.

These suggestions are made as the result of interviews which I had with leading London dealers in Irish produce.

Mr. A. Gramston, who makes a speciality of Irish eggs, was most indignant at the Dairy Show exhibit, and told me that he had sent large supplies of eggs from Charleville to Harrods, and had received no complaints. These were all packed in wood wool. He believed that in parts of the West of Ireland straw was used. Wood wool would add very little to the expense of packing, and would greatly help sales.

Mr. Fitzgerald, of Messrs. George Bowles, Nicholls and Co., who also make a feature of Irish produce, said that since the new system of packing eggs came in they had had no trouble and no difficulty in making top prices for Irish eggs. They used to get cases damaged in transit, but this was now virtually eliminated.

"What you can do nowadays," he said, "is this: You can buy from any good shipper with confidence that you will get eggs of the right quality delivered. Supplies of Irish eggs are now short, and those from other sources are taking their place."

A NATIONAL BRAND.

With regard to butter I learnt that since the Dairy Produce Act came into force there has been a marked advance in the quality of Free State creamery butter. There is, however, still room for improvement. On the London butter market the chief competitor with Ireland is New Zealand, whose butter has three advantages. Every box bears the name of the factory; the national brand (a fern leaf), and a mark showing the grade. Supplies can also be ordered in large quantities from one source.

In the Free State every creamery has a registered mark, but we have no national brand and no grading as yet. Until the combined marketing scheme gets into operation it will be difficult to obtain large supplies from any one source.

Australian butter comes in boxes with the name of the factory and the national brand, first grade only being exported.

Butter from the Argentine Republic bears the name of the factory only, with no national brand or grade, and is thus in the same position as Irish.

On this particular market Danish butter is very little used.

PURCHASERS' VIEWS.

A representative of Messrs. Salter and Stokes informed me that Irish eggs generally are being packed well, both wood wool and straw being used. Wherever used, straw should be dry and clean, but wood wool was better.

Mr. Justice, of Messrs. Lovell and Christmas, also said that since the grading and packing arrangements were made, eggs from the Irish Free State were arriving in better condition than formerly. Cold stored Irish eggs, he said, could not compete with cheap foreign eggs in London.

With regard to the transit of butter he thought that refrigerator trucks should be provided by the railway companies, so that the butter should reach the market in firm condition.

IRISH AND DANISH BACON.

Although Irish bacon commands top price on the London market, quite a large trade is done in Danish, the type and prices of which are fancied by retailers and consumers. Retailers like it because the pigs are uniform, with very light fore-ends, and waste is thus avoided. The possibility is that the Danish pigs may become too light. In England the tendency is for the large York to get too high on the leg and too narrow in the back. In the opinion of one of the largest Irish bacon curers, the Free State is perfectly right in sticking to the large white boar as a standard for bacon pigs. It is of interest to know that whereas a few years ago Ireland consumed only ten per cent. of home-cured bacon, this has now increased to fifty per cent. America is not producing as much bacon as hitherto, having to draw on Canada for supplies, and with the law now in force preventing the use of preservatives, there seems a bigger opening than ever for Irish bacon in England.

With reasonable prices there is no reason why the people of Britain should not give a preference to dry-cured Irish. Following a period of short supplies and high prices, there came a glut on the market with lower prices, which enabled the trade in Irish bacon to be firmly re-established. Messrs. Denny cater for this market extensively, and if trade improves they will probably have to re-open their second bacon factory in Waterford.

WHERE IRISH HOLDS ITS OWN.

It is agreed by all connected with the trade that Irish farmers are being educated along the right lines, especially in the matter of pig-breeding. Danish sides are, doubtless, better suited to the London market than Irish. In the North of England, however, Irish produce receives a strong preference. Consequently the difference in the size of Irish pigs placed upon the market may not be a serious disadvantage.

That Irish bacon can hold its own against all competition was evident from the exhibits of Irish bacon at the marketing demonstration of the Ministry of Agriculture at the London Dairy Show. It is clear that, despite the present prices, Irish farmers should keep on breeding pigs. The market is there, and if supplies are evenly maintained fair prices can be realised.

Several members of the Royal Family went to Victoria Station, London, yesterday morning to bid good-bye to the Duke of Connaught, who left for his winter visit to the South of France.

Putting aside Russia, where accurate information is unobtainable, we are the only European Great Power whose expenditure on armaments is larger than it was in 1913.—Lord Cecil of Chelwood.

303 MILES AN HOUR.

ITALIAN AIRMAN'S FEAT.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
ROME, Saturday.

The fantastic speed of 303 miles an hour is claimed to-day by Major Mario de Bernardi in a Macchi racing seaplane, breaking the world's special records for every type of aircraft.

Flying the international course laid out off the Lido and Venice, the flier averaged 485 kilometres, or 303.12 miles per hour in four attempts—two in each direction—on a six-kilometre course. This exceeds by 21 miles an hour the record established by Lieutenant Webster, of the British Air Force, in a Napier super-marine during the Schneider Cup race recently.

The Italian pilot is jubilant over his success. He had been waiting in Venice since the Schneider Cup event to make the attempt, which he felt sure would vindicate Italian pilots and aeroplanes in the eyes of the world after the unfortunate engine failures during the Schneider contest.

With his big Fiat motor turning over in perfect shape he was ready for the test last Tuesday morning, but weather conditions and high winds delayed the flight until to-day. Officials of the International Aeronautic Federation timed the tests, which were witnessed only by a small group of Army and Navy officers and a force of officials and civilians.

CARLOW-KILKENNY NOMINATIONS.

GOVERNMENT'S WORST FOE IS APATHY.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
KILKENNY, Sunday.

The death of His Eminence Cardinal O'Donnell was responsible for a political truce in the Carlow-Kilkenny constituency during the week-end, both sides cancelling all their arrangements for holding meetings. In all over 160 meetings were abandoned.

Yesterday Mr. John C. J. Murphy, Returning Officer, received the nominations, which were:—

Mr. Denis J. Gorey, farmer, Burnchurch—Cumann na nGaedheal.

Mr. Michael Shelly, merchant, Green street, Callan—Fianna Fail.

In his principal paper Mr. Gorey was proposed by the Most Rev. Dr. Cullen, Bishop of Kildare and Leighlin, and seconded by Alderman John McKenna, P.C., John street, Kilkenny. In the paper on which Mr. Shelly relied he was proposed by Mr. John J. Dunne, Green street, Callan, and seconded by Mr. Hugh Ronan, West street, Callan.

No public interest was manifested in the proceedings.

Polling takes place on next Thursday week, November 3rd.

MANY MEETINGS NEXT WEEK-END.

The "big push" in the election will take place next week-end, when the deferred meetings will be held. Personal canvass and printed propaganda, however, will be relied upon more than meetings for the greater part of the campaign. It is believed that the motor transport on polling day will exceed anything of the kind ever seen in the constituency.

The Fianna Fail nominee is a very strong candidate. He is popular with all classes, and has a substantial stake in the country.

Mr. Gorey, on the other hand, is recognised as a plucky and patriotic candidate, but his support has hitherto been drawn mainly from the farmers. If they turn up in good numbers at the poll, there is every reason to anticipate that he will be successful, but the vital factor is the extent to which the voters on the Government side will exercise the franchise.

SHIP ON FIRE AT SEA.

ALL BOATS TAKEN BY SOME OF THE CREW.

A thrilling story of the wreck of the London-owned barque Birkdale, which took fire while on a voyage from Hull to Callao with coal, was related yesterday by Captain Schwarz, master of the vessel.

She was in the Magellan Straits when flames burst through the ventilators. All the efforts of the crew to extinguish them failed, and the ship was a veritable volcano. The boats were got ready, but some panic-stricken members of the crew, who were mostly foreigners, cut them adrift, and left the master and several other men to their fate.

The barque was headed for land, and was wrecked on a rocky coast. Of the men still on board, some got ashore by means of a raft. They found a boat which was made seaworthy, and a small party of them afterwards went in search of help. Ten were left behind in the ship.

Captain Schwarz states that for six days they saw nothing, and when their food supplies became exhausted they ate seaweed. The attention of a passing ship was eventually attracted, and all were saved.

WOOL TRADE DISPUTE.

NO SIGNS OF EARLY PEACE.

Alderman Ben Turner, President of the National Association of Unions in the Textile Trade, speaking at Bradford yesterday on the wages dispute in the wool textile industry, said that peace looked like breaking down, but when the clouds were darkest there might be a brilliant dawn.

The employers had stated that 194 mills had gone out of use. Businesses made by one generation were lost because two or three generations did not work so arduously. Too many mills were wasted on the golf links, and the week-ends lasted from Thursday to Tuesday.

"You cannot run businesses," he said, "if you are larking at Harrogate, Scarborough, Whitby and other places."

The textile industry could not afford another disturbance like that of 1925.

Alderman Turner condemned greyhound racing, and remarked that the racing tracks were a paradise for bookmakers, but were disastrous to the workingman.

OCEAN FLIERS' CLOSE SHAVE.

ENGINE TROUBLE OFF COAST.

MRS. GRAYSON'S THIRD FAILURE.

Yesterday Mrs. Grayson and her pilot set out from Old Orchard, Maine, on their trans-Atlantic flight to Denmark, but were compelled to return after 9 hours and 47 minutes in the air owing to engine trouble.

This was Mrs. Grayson's third false start. On Saturday she returned after twenty-five minutes, and stated that they had been compelled to release 260 gallons of petrol to avoid falling into the sea.

On the first attempt the machine was compelled to return after a very short flight, because it was too heavily loaded to the front.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
OLD ORCHARD (MAINE), Sunday.

Mrs. Grayson left on her flight to Denmark at 6.15 New York time (11.15 a.m. Greenwich mean time) this morning. The route which Mrs. Grayson will follow is as originally planned. She will proceed southward along the coast of Maine to the corner of Nova Scotia, and thence due east across the Atlantic towards Valentia, which is expected to be the first land sighted. Her subsequent course is dependent upon the weather conditions encountered over Ireland. Wireless messages will be sent out at the first quarter of each standard hour on a wave length of 600-800 metres.

This morning's leave-taking, which was the third since Mrs. Grayson's aeroplane, The Dawn, arrived at the "runway" on this long stretch of beach, was almost matter-of-fact in its setting. Mrs. Grayson chatted nonchalantly and easily with acquaintances in the small crowd who watched her departure, some of them having waited through the night.

The take-off was uneventful. After a swift run the 'plane leaped into the arms of the dawn, after which it is named, and disappeared in the East.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
COPENHAGEN, Sunday.

Mme. Aage Ancker, who is backing Mrs. Frances Grayson's attempt to fly from America to Denmark, received a laconic telegram from Old Orchard, Maine, timed three hours after Mrs. Grayson started, which said: "We are off.—Frances."

"CAN STAY UP A LITTLE LONGER."

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
NEW YORK, Sunday.

A wireless message was picked up at Sable Island Station, stating that The Dawn was in distress in the vicinity of Sable Island. The message said: "Left motor still going. Can stay up a little longer."

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
HALIFAX, Sunday.

A wireless message from North Sydney, Nova Scotia, states that The Dawn reports: "Trouble cleared. Returning to United States."

A message from Lockport, Nova Scotia, says that Mrs. Grayson's aeroplane, The Dawn, was reported passing westward at 2 p.m. Atlantic standard time (6 p.m. Greenwich mean time).

GOOD LANDING UNDER DIFFICULTIES.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
NEW YORK, Sunday.

The Dawn landed shortly after 4 p.m., having been driven back by a defective motor and heavy fog.

Although one of his two engines was functioning only partly, Pilot Stultz made a perfect landing.

THE £10,000 MAIL BAG ROBBERY.

EXTRADITED MAN LANDED IN ENGLAND.

When the New Zealand liner Ruahine, from Wellington, arrived at Southampton yesterday police officers took in custody Joseph Foster (43), a commission agent, formerly of Merthyr Tydfil (Wales), who has been extradited from Auckland, New Zealand, on a charge of being concerned in the stealing of a mail bag containing £10,000 in currency notes the property of the General Post Office.

He was taken to London, and, it is understood, will appear before the magistrate to-day.

At the time of the alleged robbery, on February 2nd of this year, the mail bag was in transit from the Cardiff branch of Lloyds Bank to the bank's headquarters in London.

During the voyage to Southampton, Foster was treated as an ordinary third-class passenger.

ARMS GIVEN UP.

SULTAN OF MIJERTINS SURRENDERS.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
ROME, Sunday.

A telegram from Mogadoxo (Italian Somaliland) says that Osman Mahmoud, the former Sultan of Mijertins, who fled across the frontier after the operations which resulted in the occupation of this territory, has surrendered unconditionally to the frontier authorities, with his family and numbers of armed Mijertins, who have quietly given up their arms. In addition large numbers of tribesmen have returned to Italian territory with their flocks and herds. The Governor of Italian Somaliland has ordered a warship to proceed to Bandar Cassin and take Osman Mahmoud on board and convey him to Mogadoxo.

KIDNAPPED EUROPEANS.

WOMEN HELD BY MOROCCAN TRIBESMEN.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
PARIS, Sunday.

A telegram from Rabat (Morocco) states that it is now confirmed that the names of the two ladies who were captured by tribesmen, together with MM. Maillet and Steeg, the nephews of the Resident-General of Morocco, on October 20th, are Mesdames Prokovoff and Steinheil.

According to the latest information the captives are reported to be held as hostages by a chief in the mountain districts.

The affair, it is added, is thus assuming the character of a war capture, and there is, therefore, reason for hoping that the prisoners will be well treated.

ARRANGING FOR RELEASE.

RABAT, Sunday.

Volunteers have been quickly forthcoming to undertake the perilous task of seeking out the kidnappers of the four Europeans, and arranging for release. The Beni Mellal neighbourhood, where the abandoned motor car was found, is in unsubmitted territory.

The fact that the tribesmen who dominate the region are divided on the question of submission is expected to make the negotiations more protracted. At the best of times, bargaining with Moors is a tedious and long-drawn-out business.

The head of the intelligence service has already gone to the scene to organise the search, which also is expected to take some time, as the tribesmen have apparently withdrawn for safety's sake to their mountain fastnesses.

LATE NEWS.

THE MILE-A-MINUTE FORD CAR.

FACTORY TO MAKE 11,000 PER DAY.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
DETROIT, Sunday.

It was learned to-day that the first new type of Ford car was turned out of the assembly line at the Fordson plant of the Ford Motor Company on Thursday afternoon, in the presence of Messrs. Henry and Edsel Ford and other officials of the company.

It was then taken to the office of the company in Dearborn, where it was placed beside the fifteen-millionth model "T," which officially ended the production of a long line of ancestors of the famous "Flivver" family.

The new Ford is a smart-looking car, low and rakish, and can reach a speed of fifty miles an hour easily, and sixty if pressed.

The company announces that it already has tentative orders for 375,000 cars of the new models. Through the re-arrangement of machinery and the introduction of higher speed tools the company will be able to turn out eleven thousand cars or more daily, against a maximum of eight thousand under the old scheme of production.

SOUTH AFRICAN FLAG ISSUE.

RUMOURED SPLIT IN THE CABINET.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.
CAPE TOWN, Sunday.

Persistent rumours are current of an irreparable split in the Cabinet over the flag question with Mr. Tielman Roos (Minister of Justice) opposing Dr. Malan (Minister of the Interior). It is said that the tension is such that the resignation of one or the other group may be unavoidable.

It is affirmed that General Hertzog (the Prime Minister) takes Mr. Roos's side, together with Mr. Havenga (Minister of Finance), General Kemp (Minister of Agriculture), and Mr. Grobler (Minister of Lands). Dr. Malan and Mr. Beyers (Minister of Mines) await the arrival of Mr. Charles Malan (Minister of Railways), who is due here to-morrow, hoping for his reinforcement.

Colonel Cresswell, Mr. Boydell and Mr. Madeley, the three Labour members of the Cabinet, hover distractedly on the outskirts, uncertain which side to join.

Such is the gist of the stories current, in which there is certainly considerable truth, though, doubtless, they are too highly coloured.

Mr. Roos and Dr. Malan seem to have come to an *impasse*, and it would be reasonable to predict the break up of the Cabinet but for the lightning changes which are the rule in South African politics, and the facility with which past differences between individual members of this Government—not so serious as the present difference, but still serious enough—have been composed.

The kaleidoscopic nature of these changes is illustrated by two speeches delivered by Mr. Roos, one at Malmesbury on Friday night and the other on Saturday morning at Vredenburg. In both Mr. Roos observed that the old political questions dividing parties were now dead, and that the time had come for a new political grouping.

Such a pronouncement delivered at such a moment is, naturally, taken to confirm the rumours of irreconcilable divisions in the Cabinet. At both meetings a new atmosphere of political reconciliation prevailed, the Nationalists and members of the South African Party fraternising openly and giving Mr. Roos the opportunity to declare frankly that the spirit of bickering which has been prevalent was now a thing of the past.

Mr. Roos went on at Vredenburg to say that parties would now divide on economic lines, with Protection and Free Trade as one of the principal lines of division. This is farcical, as Mr. Roos knows: for Free Traders in South Africa can almost be counted on the fingers of the hands. The obvious deduction is that Mr. Roos is concealing his real intentions or has no clear vision beyond the imminent split in the present Government, and few persons can pretend to have further insight.

Other remarks of Mr. Roos at Vredenburg are also significant. The day of building up South Africa, the day of re-construction has come, he said. The things that bind are stronger than the things that separate us. Political differences need not be carried into every part of our personal lives. Never has there been such a friendly feeling between the white races as there is to-day.

These maxims have the air of being arrows aimed at the very heart of Dr. Malan's political creed, with its narrow worship of isolation, of predominance for the Dutch-speaking South Africans, and its consistent endeavour to promote Dutch interests as against those of English-speaking people.

What will follow no one knows. At the moment that there is extreme tension in the Cabinet is the only thing certain, and this tension is sure to react on and be reacted on by the flag conversations between General Hertzog and General Smuts.

BISHOP SUED BY CHURCHMEN.

GUILTY MEMBERS TO BE EXCOMMUNICATED.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND, Sunday.

The unusual spectacle of Catholics questioning the actions of their bishop is being offered here, the bishop being the Right Rev. Dr. William A. Hickey, of the Providence diocese. Bishop Hickey has just received authority from His Holiness the Pope to excommunicate a group of Catholics who had him cited to appear in court to account for his disposal of certain moneys.

The authorisation of excommunicating the guilty members of his Church came in a cable from Cardinal Gaspari, Papal Secretary of State.

A group of French Catholics had questioned Bishop Hickey's methods of handling the parish finances. They objected to his using parish funds in support of parochial schools in other parts of the State. They went to Court, too, with the matter, asking for an injunction restraining him from so using the congregation's money.

THE MARCH ON ROME ANNIVERSARY.

MUSSOLINI AND THE NEW STATE.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
ROME, Sunday.

The review, *Gerarchia*, which was originally founded by Signor Mussolini, will publish a special edition on the occasion of the fifth anniversary of the march on Rome. The leading feature of the edition will be an article by Signor Mussolini, entitled "The Prelude to the March on Rome," in which the Prime Minister gives an account of the national crisis which resulted in the seizure of the factories by the workmen.

The general strike of August, 1922, says Signor Mussolini, might be described as the Battle of the Piave to the Fascist movement, just as the march on Rome was its battle of Vittorio Veneto.

The Duce describes Fascism as a new authoritative, but not absolutist State, a hierarchic and organic State, embracing people of all classes and interests.

The most original thing about the movement, he concludes, does not lies in the more or less dramatic incidents of an alleged "terror," but in the attempt which has been made to reconcile those who uphold the State and those who do not.

DEATH OF GREAT CHURCHMAN.

WARM TRIBUTES TO THE CARDINAL.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE FUNERAL.

WE announce with profound regret that Cardinal O'Donnell, Roman Catholic Archbishop of Armagh and Primate of All-Ireland, died on Saturday at his Carlingford residence.

His remains will be taken to Armagh to-day, and will lie in state in St. Patrick's Cathedral until Friday, when the burial will take place after Solemn Office and Requiem Mass. During the lying-in-state the remains will be watched night and day by a guard of honour, composed of members of the Armagh Catholic Club.

THE CARDINAL'S LAST MOMENTS.

A SUDDEN CHANGE.

FROM OUR SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE.
CARLINGFORD, Saturday.

The death of Cardinal O'Donnell, Roman Catholic Archbishop of Armagh and Primate of All-Ireland, took place at 11.5 o'clock this morning, at his summer residence here, after a comparatively brief illness. The sadness of his passing is accentuated by the fact that it is only a short time ago since, on the death of Cardinal Logue, he was elevated to the Primatial See.

Cardinal O'Donnell first manifested symptoms of a serious illness only a fortnight ago, while confined to bed as the result of an injury received while bathing in Carlingford Lough towards the middle of last month, when he tripped on some seaweed and injured his left knee against a rock. On the instructions of Dr. E. M. Finnegan, his medical adviser, the Cardinal took to bed. At the end of three weeks he had almost completely recovered from that injury to his knee, and was looking forward to his visit to Rome in connection with the Irish College celebrations there, when he suddenly developed double pneumonia and dry pleurisy. His splendid strength stood him in good stead during the earlier stages of the complication, but this morning a fresh complication developed, and the immediate cause of death was an embolus, or the entrance from the lung to the heart of a clot of blood. But for that it is quite possible that His Eminence would have recovered.

Throughout Cardinal O'Donnell's illness his brother, Dr. O'Donnell, of Merrion square, Dublin, had been stopping at the residence of Dr. Finnegan, and the two doctors were in constant attendance on him.

A GREAT SHOCK.

Although the Cardinal's condition was known to be very grave, the news of his death came as a great shock to the people of the village. The first intimation that the end was near came to them when Dr. Finnegan was seen to drive rapidly towards the Cardinal's house with a cylinder of oxygen. When he left the house again Cardinal O'Donnell had breathed his last. His brother was at his bedside to the end.

When the news became known windows were shuttered and blinds were drawn in the village. Many people, indeed, were moved to tears, for the Cardinal loved and was beloved by them all. He was a man of especially unassuming character, and his unaffected demeanour and the general simplicity of his habits won him the affectionate regard of all denominations.

Many instances of his unfailing interest in the people and in the hum-drum tenor of their daily lives are recited by the villagers.

THE END.

Dr. Finnegan usually got early morning messages from the Cardinal's house, and the first one this morning was to the effect that His Eminence had had a good and restful night. Calling to the house, in company of Dr. John O'Donnell, brother of the Cardinal, about 10 a.m., Dr. Finnegan again learned that his distinguished patient had slept well, and that he had had no pain throughout the night. The two doctors were satisfied that their patient was doing as well as could be expected.

Soon afterwards, however, when Father Finnegan was opening the door to leave the bedroom, he observed that a change had suddenly come over the Cardinal, who appeared as if he was about to have another attack of pain. His Eminence told him that he was not experiencing any pain, but although at the moment his pulse was quite good it soon began to weaken. Dr. Finnegan immediately sent for the Rev. C. Finnegan, C.C., Carlingford, who arrived in a few minutes. All that medical aid could do was done, but at 11.5, with his brother and Dr. Finnegan and Father Finnegan by his bedside, the Cardinal had died.

Countless messages of sympathy were communicated to his relatives during the day.

IMPRESSIVE SCENES.

Sunday.

Moving and impressive scenes were witnessed this evening, when hundreds of people flocked into the village to pay respect to the dead Primate. Dressed in full vestments, the remains lay in his late residence, and for several hours a long queue filed slowly past. On every hand there was evidence of the grief that the Cardinal's death has occasioned. Several times during the evening the Rosary was recited, and the responses were given with devotional fervour.

Not alone the Roman Catholic community, but those of other persuasions joined in the demonstration of affection. Cardinal O'Donnell, with his gospel of peace and good-will, had won all hearts, no matter to what creed or station in life they belonged, and he is mourned not only as a great prelate, but as a personal friend.

REMOVAL TO ARMAGH.

When the motor hearse containing the re-

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...ains of the Cardinal begins its journey to Armagh at one o'clock to-morrow it will be accompanied for a short distance by a procession of the townspeople. The route will be through Newry, where there will be another demonstration of respect and sympathy.

Later inquiries show that up to the last His Eminence was convinced that he would recover. He had been especially interested in the celebrations in connection with the third centenary of the foundation of the Irish College in Rome, and it hurt him deeply that he was unable to be with many of the other Irish bishops and clergy who have already made the journey to the Eternal City.

MESSAGES OF SYMPATHY

FROM NORTH AND SOUTH.

The Governor-General of the Irish Free State, and President Cosgrave, the Governor of Northern Ireland, and the Prime Minister, Viscount Craigavon, are among the many who have sent messages of sympathy on the occasion of Cardinal O'Donnell's death.

The Governor-General (Mr. T. M. Healy) telegraphed to Carlingford:—

"Stunned by sad news, which will affect all Ireland.

"HEALY."

President Cosgrave's message to the Most Rev. Dr. Byrne, Archbishop of Dublin, was as follows:—

"My colleagues and I are grieved to learn that His Eminence Cardinal O'Donnell has passed away. To the archbishops, bishops, and clergy, and to his people by whom he was so much beloved, we tender our sincere sympathy.

"COSGRAVE."

The President also telegraphed to Dean Quinn, P.P., V.G.:—

"My colleagues and I are grieved to hear of the death of His Eminence Cardinal O'Donnell. May I be permitted to express, on behalf of all our citizens, sincere sympathy.

"COSGRAVE."

The Governor of Northern Ireland telegraphed to the Administrator at the Palace, Armagh:—

"Greatly regret to hear the sad news of the death of His Eminence Cardinal O'Donnell, for whom I have always entertained the highest regard and feeling of friendship. Please express to his relatives my very deep sympathy.

"ABERCORN."

Lord Craigavon's message to Mr. Joseph Devlin, M.P., was as follows:—

"I desire to tender my deepest sympathy with you and the people whom you represent in the death of the head of your Church in Ulster.

"CRAIGAVON."

Mr. de Valera telegraphed to the Rev. Father Finnegan, Administrator, Armagh:—

"Is mor ar mbron ar Cloisint dhuinn bas an Chardineil O'Domhnaill agus is mor an Chaillamhaint don chine Gaedheal e do bheith imthighthe uainn.

"EAMON DE VALERA."

The Moderator of the General Assembly's message to the Administrator, Ara Cœli, Armagh, stated:—

"On behalf of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland please accept our most sincere sympathy on the lamented death of His Eminence Cardinal O'Donnell.

"(Signed). DR. THOMPSON.

"Moderator, General Assembly."

The Chief Rabbi of the Dublin Jewish community also sent a message of sympathy.

Colonel Grant Morden, M.P., President of the Irish Club, London, in a telegram addressed to the Administrator, Armagh, says:—"On my own behalf and on behalf of the Irish Club, I offer you our sincere sympathy."

LONDON AND KILLARNEY

THE PROPOSED AERIAL SERVICE

The Imperial Airways, Ltd., London, in the course of a letter to the Killarney Urban Council, states that "in considering the proposal for an air service between London and Killarney, on which we promised to advise you, there are two important factors which militate against the success of such a service:—

"1—The saving of time over land and sea transport would not be sufficient unless direct flights are made. This involves a long sea crossing.

"2—A long sea crossing could only be undertaken if multi-engined aircraft were used.

"It seems to us that traffic between London and Killarney would not justify the operation of a regular daily service throughout the year, and, indeed, it would be unfair to expect your Council to bear the cost of subsidising or guaranteeing certain minimum loads for a service having Killarney as its destination, although several other towns would be called at in transit. It is only fair that all towns served on the air route should be interested in the air service.

"The route followed would be: Croydon, Birmingham, Holyhead, Dublin, Tipperary, and Killarney, and the air journey would be completed in nine hours less than by surface transport. Undoubtedly, many of the passengers using the service would be travelling to towns other than Killarney, and we suggest for the consideration of your Council that, as a preliminary measure, the support of the Irish Free State might be invited."

The Chairman (Mr. E. O'Sullivan)—This is really an invitation to send representations to the State.

Mr. Counihan—Yes.

It was decided that the clerk send a copy of the letter to the Minister for Industry and Commerce and to the T.D.'s for the county.

JAPANESE AIRSHIP IN FLAMES.

FORCED DESCENT IN THE SEA.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

TOKIO, Sunday.

The airship N 3, while participating in naval manœuvres, was forced to descend in the sea off the Izu Peninsula owing to engine trouble. It burst into flames on touching the water. The crew were rescued, but one member was seriously injured. The N 3 was recently purchased from Italy.

CHILD KILLED.

CHAR-A-BANC AND MOTOR CAR COLLIDE.

When the Clacton-on-Sea footballers were travelling to Ipswich last Saturday their char-a-banc and a motor car collided in Greenstead road, Colchester. The char-a-banch knocked down a lamp-post, demolished a petrol pump, and finally landed in a garden. None of the occupants was injured, but a five months old child, Patricia Bill, the daughter of the driver of the private car, of Hatch Farm, Kelvedon Common, near Brentwood, received severe head injuries, and died in the Colchester Hospital yesterday.

A MISSIONARY EXHIBITION.

A missionary exhibition, organised by the Hibernian Church Missionary Society, will be opened to-morrow at 3 o'clock in the Metropolitan Hall, Lower Abbey street, Dublin, by the Archbishop of Dublin, and continued each day during the week. The exhibition will be arranged in a series of courts containing exhibits and curios from Africa, India, China, Japan and Persia.

A large staff of missionaries from the countries represented will give ten-minute talks in the courts during the afternoon and evening each day. Costume scenes, lantern lectures and talks in a model hospital ward will provide special attractions. In the Minor Hall numerous stalls will display a wide selection of attractive articles for sale. There will also be a country market, and teas and suppers will be served at a moderate charge. Further particulars will be found in our advertising columns each day.

To demand too many speeches turns a statesman into an expert in thinking what can be said rather than what should be thought.—Lord Grey.

NATIONAL BANK MALE CLERKS.
Exam. announced for 9th Feby., 1928. During 1926, 21 National Bank Clerkships were gained by Students of SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin. BEST RESULT. Oral and Correspondence classes. —(Advt.)

LATE CARDINAL O'DONNELL.

SKETCH OF HIS CAREER.

A descendant of the main line of the O'Donnells of Tirconaill, Cardinal O'Donnell was born at Kilbraine, near Glenties, Co. Donegal, on November 28th, 1856. The old sept to which he belonged is represented among the Spanish aristocracy by Don Carlos O'Donnell, Duke of Tetuan. The Cardinal's early education was begun under the local National School teacher, and was continued at the High School, Letterkenny. He won first place at the concursus for ecclesiastical candidates, and was nominated to a place in the Propaganda College, Rome, but was sent instead to the Catholic University, Dublin. He entered Maynooth College in 1875, was ordained priest and appointed Professor of Theology within five years, and in 1884 he became Prefect and Librarian of the revived Dunboyne establishment in succession to Dr. Healy, afterwards Archbishop of Tuam.

In 1888 the young Prefect was elevated to the Bishopric of Raphoe. It was shortly after his consecration that his abilities as scholar, preacher and administrator brought him into prominence. Apart from diocesan affairs, he took a keen interest in land reform, education and politics. As a member of the Congested Districts Board, his influence and counsel shaped many of its beneficial efforts.

In politics Cardinal O'Donnell was a strong supporter of the Irish Nationalist movement, but he always acted with characteristic prudence and sagacity. After the downfall of Mr. Parnell Dr. O'Donnell became one of the treasurers of the Nationalist Party's funds, and he was largely instrumental in bringing about the reunion of the party, in 1900, after the Parnell split.

RAPHOE CATHEDRAL.

During the thirty-four years of his episcopacy there were many important changes in the Raphoe diocese. One was the re-establishment of the ancient Cathedral Chapter by Pope Leo XIII., in 1901, when St. Eunan was declared joint patron of the diocese with St. Columba—the reason being that, while St. Columba established the celebrated Abbey of Raphoe, it was St. Eunan who renovated and re-constituted it. In the following year the beautiful cathedral at Raphoe was dedicated, among those present being two close friends of Dr. O'Donnell, the late Cardinal Logue and the late Mr. John Dillon. Dr. O'Donnell was deeply interested in primary education, and numerous schools were opened in the diocese during his episcopacy.

In Letterkenny, where the Episcopal Palace is situated, the late Cardinal was known personally to all the townspeople. His favourite walk was by the Glencar road to an eminence above the town, commanding a magnificent view of the Donegal hills, including Mount Errigal. He used to say that he loved Glencar, and he walked the hill road almost every day, and encouraged others to follow his example.

A fluent Irish speaker, Dr. O'Donnell was the first bishop in modern times to issue his Lenten Pastoral in Irish. On one occasion, when in Rome, he related that when he was a child his nurse spoke a strange language, and could converse in no other; he afterwards found it to be Irish. In the Raphoe Diocese his favourite dessert was Carrigeen moss. He often spoke of its nourishing and sustaining qualities, and was responsible for having it introduced to many homes where it otherwise would not have been known.

Dr. O'Donnell always kept in touch with prominent members of the O'Donnell sept in other countries. At the anniversary celebrations of St. Columcille, in Gartan, Co. Donegal, in 1879, Dr. O'Donnell received messages expressing their participation in the ceremonies from Don Carlos O'Donnell, Duke of Tetuan, and Count Ferdinand Patrick O'Donnell, of Vienna.

A firm believer in the promotion of native industries, Dr. O'Donnell did much for the revival of the cloth-making industry in Donegal.

PRIMATE AND CARDINAL.

In 1923 the late Cardinal was appointed Coadjutor-Archbishop of Armagh, with the title of Archbishop of Attalia. This appointment was necessitated by the failing health of the late Cardinal Logue. On the death of Cardinal Logue, in November, 1924, Dr. O'Donnell succeeded to the Archbishopric of Armagh, and on December 14th, 1925, at a Secret Consistory in Rome, he was raised to the dignity of the Cardinalate. The appointment was a very popular one. Members of all Churches in Ireland joined in congratulating him, and there was general rejoicing among the members of his own Church. On the same day the Pope created three other new cardinals. The ceremony assumed special importance, as it took place at the close of the Holy Year. In the Hall of the Consistory were many high dignitaries of the Church, including cardinals, patriarchs, archbishops, bishops and heads of religious Orders. The Pope was dressed entirely in white, the only shade of colour being his gold chain, from which hung a gold pectoral cross.

In the hall of the Irish College, Rome, when the late Primate received his commission as Cardinal, he expressed the deep feeling of appreciation of Ireland and the Irish people. On the following day, vested in Cardinal's robes for the first time, he went to the Vatican to receive from the Pope the mozzetta, zucchetto and biretta, the first symbols of the dignity conferred on him. Tall of figure and of commanding presence, Cardinal O'Donnell was the most imposing of the newly-appointed dignitaries. The Pope said he was happy to be elevating Archbishop O'Donnell to the purple, to give a special proof of his benevolence and affection for the whole Irish nation, which was so dear to him, and which he always carried in his heart. He ended by saying that he saluted, in Archbishop O'Donnell, the whole Irish people, who were so illustrious and generous in their profession of the Roman Catholic faith.

HIS IRISH WELCOME.

On his return to Ireland, Cardinal O'Donnell was given a most enthusiastic welcome. When he arrived at Kingstown by the mail boat on December 23, 1925, he was received officially at the Carlisle Pier, on behalf of the Irish Free State Government, by President Cosgrave, Mr. J. J. Walsh, then Minister for Posts and Telegraphs, and Mr. P. Hughes, Minister for Defence. A guard of honour, consisting of fifty men, with a pipers band, was in attendance on the pier. A huge crowd gathered on the pier and in its neighbourhood. When the Cardinal came from the boat the guard of honour presented arms, the band played, and the gathering of clergy and laity gave loud cheers.

At the railway stations along the route to Armagh crowds waited to welcome the Cardinal. At Drogheda he was presented with an address by the Corporation, the Gaelic League and the Knights of St. Columbanus. He also received cordial welcomes at Dundalk, Goraghwood and at Armagh.

A few days after his arrival in Armagh Cardinal O'Donnell said to an *Irish Times* representative:—"I was happily aware that political divisions in the South or in the North made no difference in friendly feeling towards myself. But, whereas I looked forward to a quiet return home, I found instead a very royal public welcome for me from the start. . . . The railway company and the Royal Ulster Rifles had their part in the tribute with Drogheda, Dundalk, Newry and Armagh itself, with its surrounding districts. God bless all for their goodness to me on the occasion of my return home from the city of the Popes."

NORTH AND SOUTH.

The Cardinal in many of his public utterances expressed his hope for greater unity between North and South. Replying to an address of welcome at Queenstown on his return from the Eucharistic Congress at Chicago last year, he said that the generosity and welcome extended to him by the American people impressed him very much indeed; but, after all, for an Irishman there was no place like Ireland. He added that the love and sympathy of the people of the United States towards Ireland was a great factor in the mutual friendship between the two countries. He had not the slightest doubt that when the opportunity offered that sympathy would be manifested—sympathy with all Ireland, North and South. That sympathy, he believed, would prompt Irishmen to throw aside their animosities and divisions and bind themselves together in a great national unity of peace and good-will.

Again at Armagh he made reference to the subject. "Sometimes," he said, "we in these later years are inclined almost to weep under the divisions that have rent us. America, in its past history, knew worse divisions than any or ours, and to-day it is deep down in the American heart to utter a prayer that, through the mercy of God, all divisions will be healed in peace, good-will, and unity throughout the land, by the healing hand of God Himself."

In January of 1926 His Eminence visited Dundalk. It was a "red-letter day" in the town, and all the shops, banks, business houses and public offices were closed. All classes assembled to welcome him. He thanked them sincerely for their magnificent demonstration. Referring to the Protestant community, he said: "I must not defer further my grateful acknowledgment of the presence here of worthy representatives of our Protestant fellow-townsmen. It is kind of them to come. Long may they continue to take an important part in the varied life of this busy town, as they have done in the past, to the advantage of us all."

THE NATIONAL SYNOD.

Perhaps the most important ecclesiastical event of Cardinal O'Donnell's Primacy was the National Synod of Ireland, which was held at St. Patrick's College, Maynooth, during August, 1927. Twenty-seven years had elapsed since the previous National Synod took place. The session, which lasted for a fortnight, was attended by the Cardinal, the Irish archbishops, bishops and representatives of Irish religious Orders, and the Diocesan Chapters and other dignitaries of the Church. Cardinal O'Donnell presided at the general sessions, where the administration of Church legislation during the previous twenty-seven years was reviewed, and many far-reaching reforms were carried out by canonical regulations. These, however, have not yet been announced.

IRISH RACE CONVENTION.

During the land struggles of over forty years ago, Dr. O'Donnell took a keen interest in the welfare of the tenants, especially the poor, struggling farmers, who found it difficult to pay their rents.

He presided at the Irish Race Convention in the Theatre Royal, Dublin, in 1896, and read a special message from Pope Leo XIII. From that time onward public affairs claimed much of his attention. A man of great physical and mental powers, he was able to attend to national, economic, social and educational matters, though the Church always had his first attention.

As a member of the Royal Commission on Congested Districts, 1905, Dr. O'Donnell sought to promote the prosperity of farmers who held uneconomic holdings in the West of Ireland. He was Rector of the Catholic University, a member of the governing body of the National University of Ireland, and of the Catholic School of Medicine. He also represented the Roman Catholic bishops on the Killanin Commission. The degree of LL.D. (*Honoris Causa*) of the National University of Ireland was conferred on him in 1915.

When the Irish Convention (presided over by Sir Horace Plunkett) was appointed in 1917, Dr. O'Donnell was appointed a member of it, and he proved to be a very active and valuable one. Every movement for the benefit of the country, however, found in him a wise and cordial helper.

IN THE CHURCHES.

MASSES AND REFERENCES.

In all the Roman Catholic Churches throughout Ireland yesterday references were made to the death of Cardinal O'Donnell, and Masses and prayers were offered for the repose of his soul

Addressing a crowded congregation at the 11.30 o'clock Mass at St. Andrew's Church, Westland Row, Dublin, yesterday—perhaps the largest congregation of any Dublin church—the Rev. T. F. Ryan said that the Irish Church had lost by the death of Cardinal O'Donnell one of its most distinguished bishops, a great statesman and a faithful steward of God. His Eminence should be considered, I fancy, said Father Ryan, St. Paul's ideal bishop—one overflowing with charity from a pure heart. He was as blameless as St. Paul could desire; he was holy, patient, prudent and just; he was mild towards all men; he was gentle, given to hospitality; a great teacher—one who laboured as a good soldier of Jesus Christ. Those who knew the Cardinal knew him to be a strong character, who carefully studied to present himself approved unto God; a workman that needed not to be ashamed, rightly handling the word of truth. "Let us be confident," concluded Father Ryan, "that this great steward of God has received the reward of the Master: 'Well done, good and faithful servant, enter thou unto the joy of the Lord.'"

In the Church of the Carmelite Fathers, Clarendon street, Dublin, the Rev. Father Angelus, O.D.C., preaching at last Mass yesterday said that with the death of Cardinal O'Donnell the Church had lost a venerated prelate and Ireland a great son. A man of many fine points, he had possessed a great strength of character and a wonderful piety that had won for him the respect of everybody in the land.

At the University Church, St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, yesterday, the Rev. John Ryan, Dean of Residence, speaking after the First Gospel of the Red Mass, asked for the prayers of the congregation for the repose of the soul of the late Cardinal. As Rector of the Catholic University and as Quondam Member of the Governing Body of the College, the Cardinal, he said, had a claim upon their prayers.

In the Pro-Cathedral, Dublin, at last Mass yesterday, the Rev. J. Sheehan made a reference to the death of Cardinal O'Donnell, whose life work, he said, all good Christians admired. His noble character endeared him to all who had the honour of his acquaintance, and his reputation for charity and patriotism was respected in spheres far outside his native land.

The following announcement was made before the sermon at the 12 o'clock Mass yesterday in St. Francis Xavier's Church, Upper Gardiner street, Dublin:—"Providence, in its inscrutable design, has removed from our midst a prince of the Church, a great churchman, a great Irishman, one whose indefatigable zeal for souls raised him high in the esteem of every well-wisher of the Church, and one who, by his Christ-like charity, endeared himself to all who knew him. May I remind you to join in prayer during the Holy Mass for the repose of his soul? May he rest in peace."

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

The Rev. Dr. R. K. Hanna, in Adelaide road Presbyterian Church, Dublin, yesterday, referred sympathetically to the death of the Cardinal. He felt that Presbyterians all over the country would like to express their sorrow. Archbishop O'Donnell had impressed them as an outstanding man in the life of the nation. They admired his ability, his scholarship, his devotion to duty. Above all, they esteemed the late Cardinal for what he was—a man of the highest character. In many of his public utterances the Archbishop showed a breadth of sympathy and a width of outlook which appealed to many outside the bounds of his own communion. In the most respectful way, Dr. Hanna said that he would like to offer their sympathy to the members of the Roman Catholic Church in what all sections of the community regarded as a national loss.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Before the sermon in the Centenary Church, St. Stephen's Green, yesterday morning, the Rev. R. Lee Cole said—We deplore, in common with our Roman Catholic brethren, the death of Cardinal O'Donnell, a distinguished Churchman. Apart from his personal character, which was of a very high order, the late Cardinal was the first great Roman Catholic prelate in this country who insisted upon the people of his Church reading the story of Jesus Christ in the New Testament for themselves. I think it is only right that our sympathy should go out to the great Roman Catholic Church. His death is a great loss to that Church and a great loss to our land.

AT CARLINGFORD.

FROM OUR SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE.

CARLINGFORD, Sunday.

A touching reference to the death of Cardinal O'Donnell was made to-day by the Rev. C. Finegan, C.C., Carlingford. Addressing the congregation at the eleven o'clock Mass, he said that there was no need for him to dwell on the loss the Archdiocese and See of Armagh and the Irish nation had suffered in the death of Cardinal O'Donnell. For the last forty years his name had been before the people as a tireless worker in the interests of Ireland, and anything which pertained in any way to the welfare of Ireland struck a chord in his heart which always responded. The late Cardinal was a patriotic Irishman, and the dissentions and divisions of Ireland during the last number of years wounded him to the heart. His ideal was a free and united Ireland, and he strove with all the force and vigour of his mind and all the strength of his body for that object.

As a churchman, it was not too much to say that since the days of the blessed Oliver Plunkett the See of Armagh had not been governed by his equal. His voice would be missed in the councils of the Irish Church. The people of Carlingford, whom he had honoured with his presence for the last number of years, should pray fervently for the repose of his soul, and pray that the ideal which was always before his mind, of Ireland loyal to the See of St. Patrick and free to direct her own destinies, might soon be realised fully.

At the close of the Church of Ireland Service at Carlingford, the Rev. R. Byrne said that it was only fitting that they should pay their tribute of respect to a great Irishman, and to one whose spiritual and intellectual gifts fitted him in a marked degree for the high position which he filled with a dignity peculiarly his own. We, said Mr. Byrne, can recall the kindly feelings that existed between the late lamented Cardinal and members of our own Church with whom he came into contact, and whose deep respect and regard he gained. Indeed, we can truly say that the memory of his Eminence Cardinal O'Donnell will always be associated with the great Christian principles of peace and good-will to men.

At the Presbyterian Church Service here this morning the Rev. G. Kane referred in moving terms to the death of Cardinal O'Donnell. He paid a tribute to the genial character of His Eminence, and expressed sincere sympathy with the members of the Roman Catholic community in the loss they had suffered.

DUNDALK.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

In no part of Ireland is there greater sorrow at the passing of Cardinal O'Donnell than in Dundalk, where His Eminence, who lived here while acting as Coadjutor to the late Cardinal Logue, was intimately known. By all creeds and classes he was held in the greatest esteem. Always at the service of the townspeople, he assisted in many public festivals, and the joy of the people at his elevation to the Cardinalate was unbounded. When he came here following his consecration general holiday was declared, and joyous scenes marked his procession through the town. When the news of his death was received on Saturday it brought a shock, for earlier reports had stated that the Cardinal had had a splendid night.

Yesterday morning after the Masses the Dead March was played, and in all the churches references were made to the dead Cardinal

At 11 o'clock Mass in the Cathedral, the Rev. Father Hurson, Adm., said that a calamity had befallen the country in the death of a great Irishman, a prince of the Church and their esteemed parish priest. They in Dundalk, could feel the death of His Eminence in a personal way, for they were all privileged to know him well and to appreciate the many high intellectual gifts with which God had endowed him.

What Cardinal O'Donnell had done for Church and country could not now be told. He would prefer to dwell upon the saintliness of his life, his humility and his magnificent generosity. Despite the great position which the Cardinal held, the humblest in the land could approach him with confidence and assurance that a kindly reception awaited him. The Dundalk people knew of his humility, and they realised that his death was an irreparable loss to the archdiocese and to Ireland. God in his wisdom had taken the Cardinal from them, but there would always remain behind the great example of his life to urge them on.

Speaking at the 12 o'clock Mass, the Rev. Father Stokes, C.C., said that there had been taken from them one whom they had much reason to love and reverence. While the archdiocese mourned the loss of a faithful shepherd, and the universal Church the passing of one of her noblest princes, they in Dundalk had sustained the two-fold loss of Bishop and immediate pastor, and what a fine Bishop and a splendid pastor he was! His sweet and amiable disposition endeared him to every heart, and his wise counsel and his ready sympathy were at the command of all. Easy of approach to all he never lost an opportunity of doing good, and cheerfully rendering any service that lay within his power. His charity towards the poor and needy was excessive, and it was practised with the secrecy and liberality of a big and generous heart.

In St. Joseph's Redemptorist Church the 11 o'clock Mass was offered up for the repose of the soul of his Eminence, and the Rev. Father Cagney, C.SS.R., referred to the loss which his death had caused to the Church and to Ireland.

At St. Malachy's Church the Rev. Father Thayne, O.P., said that many lessons might be learned from their revered Cardinal, but the greatest was the lesson of humility and simplicity, which were the outstanding features of the great man's life. His special friends were the children and the poor, for whose welfare he was specially solicitous.

In St. Mary's Church the Very Rev. Father Byrne, S.M., said that Cardinal O'Donnell's passing plunged them all into grief.

Flags were flying at half-mast from the public buildings in Dundalk yesterday, and all football matches and other fixtures were cancelled.

ARMAGH.

Speaking at half-past eleven o'clock Mass in St. Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh, yesterday, the Rev. Arthur Toner, C.C., said:—By the death of His Eminence Cardinal O'Donnell the Catholic people of Ireland have lost a great friend. His noble presence and genial smile, which were but the reflection of his great and kindly soul, were familiar to Irish Catholics in many lands. His death has brought sorrow to the hearts of all. He was a tireless, unselfish worker in the cause of religion and charity, and his great influence in the national, industrial and social life of Ireland for forty years has always been on the side of the people, whom he loved. He never spared himself when there was work to be done for faith or fatherland. Death has robbed the Irish Church of an illustrious bishop, whose loss is felt and mourned by his colleagues on the Episcopal Bench. It has removed a great figure from the national life of Ireland which, if it were God's Will, the country could ill afford to lose, and it has left a void in the hearts of thousands who knew and loved him, which it will be impossible to fill.

HIS TOLERANCE.

In all controversial matters where he so often came into contact with others whose beliefs in religion or opinions in politics differed from his own, he showed a wonderful understanding of their view-points, and always expressed his own beliefs and opinions with great charity and restraint. It is not surprising, therefore, that when the news of his serious illness became public, representatives of all the Protestant Churches and leaders of every political party were amongst the first to make anxious and sympathetic inquiries concerning him, and they watched the course of his illness with sympathy and anxiety. When God called him to his reward on Saturday morning they hastened to express their sorrow at the death of one whom they honoured and respected. We, here in Armagh, where he was our beloved bishop and kindly parish priest, had just learned to love and revere him when death took him from our midst, but we have consolation in the knowledge that when God called him it was to reap the just reward of a long life, labour and sacrifices in the service of God.

Sympathetic references were made at all the other Masses.

DEAN HAMILTON'S REFERENCE.

Preaching in Armagh Cathedral Dean Hamilton said that he could not conclude without saying how much they sympathised with their neighbours of the Roman Catholic Church in the loss that they had sustained by the death of the head of their Church, Cardinal O'Donnell. Before coming to reside in Armagh the Cardinal lived at Dundalk his (the speaker's) parish, and there he was loved and respected. In Armagh it was the same, and deservedly so. Besides being a man of considerable ability, he had a most attractive personality. The Cardinal made a brave struggle for life, and it was thought at one time that he would have recovered and be restored to his place in the world, but God had ordained otherwise, and the Cardinal had passed into the Great Unseen. To his friends and people they offered their sincere sympathy.

Speaking in St. Mark's, Armagh, to-day, the Rector, Canon Tichbourne, said that on the death of his Eminence Cardinal O'Donnell it was fitting that, on behalf of the members of the Church of Ireland in that parish, he should give expression to their feelings of sincere regret at the loss which the community had sustained. During his short residence of three years in Armagh Cardinal O'Donnell had gained the respect and esteem of his fellow-citizens of all creeds and classes. They tendered their sympathy to the members of the Roman Catholic Church in the great loss which they had sustained.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

The Rev. W. B. Sproule, who occupied the pulpit of the First Armagh Presbyterian Church, read the following message from the Pastor *Loci*, the Rev. D. Dowling:—"The passing of his Eminence Cardinal O'Donnell not only deprives the Roman Catholic Church in Ireland of her venerable Primate, but entails a great loss in the forces that make for peace in our land. The barriers that divide the sundered section of the Christian Church are too deeply rooted to be easily overcome, but the late Cardinal, by his kindly disposition and charity, did much to soften the antagonisms which are the heritage of the unhappy years of Irish history. He appeared among us as a man of peace, a gentle soul, who found himself raised to eminence in troubled times, yet ever strove to keep himself above bitterness and his utterances free from rancour. In matters of doctrine and polity he was far removed from us. Even these differences, however, did not prevent his winning from us our admiration and respect for his courageous advocacy of the New Testament as a spiritual guide, and his wide tolerance in every good work. By his death the Church which he served so long and faithfully has suffered a great bereavement, Ireland loses a leader in ways of tolerance, and the City of Armagh a gracious citizen. We respectfully tender to our Roman Catholic fellow-citizens our sincere sympathy in their great loss.

The Rev. W. Clarke, speaking at Armagh Methodist Church, said that he felt, and he was confident they all felt, that it would be unseemly, in the midst of their praise and thanksgiving, to forget that to-day very many in the Primatial city were stricken with true sorrow, and that throughout the land there was widespread and sincere grief at the passing of His Eminence Cardinal O'Donnell. All true Irishmen must mourn the loss of one who was a great ecclesiastical statesman, a mighty force for righteousness, and a wise and strong administrator of those great powers which his Church had vested in his hands. They thought of his constant urging of those over whom he exercised spiritual supervision to familiarise themselves with the teaching of God's Holy Word. They, too, mourned the passing of a great Irishman, and to their fellow-countrymen they extended a sympathy which was sincere.

PROVINCIAL REFERENCES.

The Most Rev. Dr. Mulhern, Roman Catholic Bishop of Dromore, preaching in the Cathedral, Newry, yesterday, said that Cardinal O'Donnell died a martyr to duty, for the glory of God. Those of them who had seen him at the recent Maynooth Synod, from the opening to the close, saw that he did not want a moment of rest, or even comfort. The strenuous time he had had at the Synod told upon him severely, and it was remarked then that he was a broken man. He went to Carlingford for a rest, and there was some little hope that the rest would make him strong again. But God's ways were not our ways. The Cardinal did not die from the disease from which he had been suffering, but from overwork. Cardinal O'Donnell suffered intensely, but in the midst of that suffering his repeated inspiration was: "Not enough, O God."

The news of Cardinal O'Donnell's death was received with deep sorrow in Letterkenny, where he laboured for thirty years as Bishop. Many local bodies have passed resolutions of sympathy and regret, and at Mass yesterday Rev. Father Sheridan, Adm., made fitting reference to the Cardinal's death.

CENTRAL COUNCIL, G.A.A.

A meeting of the Central Council of the G.A.A. was held on Saturday evening at Croke Park, Dublin. Mr. W. P. Clifford (President) proposed and Mr. P. D. Breen seconded, a vote of deep sorrow at Cardinal O'Donnell's death, and of sympathy with the archbishops, bishops and clergy of Ireland in the country's heavy loss. Messrs. John Ryan, Chairman of the Dublin County Board, and L. O'Toole, Secretary, Central Council, were deputed to represent the Gaelic Athletic Association at the public funeral from Armagh Cathedral on Friday next.

ARMED RAID IN LEITRIM.

STORY OF MOTOR DRIVE IN THE NIGHT.

Agrarian trouble is said to have been responsible for an armed raid on the house of James Cassidy, Derryreals, Swanlinbar, on the night of the 15th inst., in connection with which Michael Flynn and Peter Paul Creamer, of Annagh, Ballinaglera, Dowra, have been remanded in custody on a charge of intimidating Cassidy and his wife and family.

William Brennan, motor driver, also of Dowra, who was also arrested, but subsequently released, gave evidence of being hired by Flynn to take him and Creamer on a certain journey in the Bawn direction. When they arrived at Altachullion school, about three miles from Swanlinbar, he was told to stop the car and remain there for about three-quarters of an hour until the accused men would return. They returned at about 11.40, and, by directions, he went back to Dowra.

CONCERT AT PORTOBELLO BARRACKS.

Last night at the Recreation Hall, Portobello Barracks, Dublin, a concert took place, under the auspices of the 7th Brigade Institute, in aid of a deserving local charity, and there was a good attendance. A feature of the programme was the music supplied by the orchestra from the Army School of Music. A sketch entitled, "My Love was once a Black and Tan" was staged, the following taking part:—Miss Daish, Miss McAllister, Sergeant Kiely, Corporal McCormack, Privates Bermingham, De Botte, McCartin and Soady. Others who contributed to the programme were:—The Portobello trio of dancers, Mr. Chris Bruton, Miss Terry Owens, Mrs. O'Farrell, Mr. Sean O'Beirne, Commandant Sauerzweig. The prison scene from "Maritana" was admirably put on and sung by the following cast:—Lazarillo, Miss Joan Burke, Maritana, Miss L. Mann; Don Jose, Mr. Tom Burke; Don Cæsar, Captain O'Carroll. Cadet Doyle presided at the piano.

NEWRY STORE FIRE.

Damage estimated at £2,000 was caused by a fire, which destroyed a range of stores in New street, Newry, together with contents, last Saturday night. A horse stabled on the premises was rescued with difficulty.

Insurances at low rates with Phœnix Assurance Co., Ltd., 10-12 Trinity street, Dublin.—R. H. Bolton, Manager. Agents everywhere. —Advt.

Scottish people have always been noted for their thrift and generosity.—Mr. D. M. Cowan, M.P.

IRISH COLLEGE IN ROME.

THE TERCENTENARY CELEBRATIONS.

ROME, Sunday.

The celebration of the third centenary of the foundation of the Irish National College began to-day with a Solemn Pontifical High Mass, celebrated in the mystic chapel of the Irish College by Dr. Byrne, Archbishop of Dublin. Those present included all the other archbishops and bishops who have gathered in Rome for this event; also over 200 Irish pilgrims; the 100 students of the Irish College, headed by their distinguished Rector, Monsignor John Hagan, and the Vice-Rector, Monsignor Michael Curran, a large number of prominent prelates, and all the Irish Catholic residents in Rome. The discourse was delivered by Dr. MacNeeley, Bishop of Raphoe. The function was most touching and impressive.

Dr. MacNeeley, in his discourse, paid a high tribute to the late Cardinal Patrick O'Donnell and emphasised the great loss suffered by Ireland, the Irish Episcopacy and clergy, and the Catholic Church in general by his death. Dr. MacNeeley touched upon his ability and amiability of manner and the great affection that he had always felt for the Irish National College.

Dr. MacNeeley went on to say that the Primate's death had cast a gloom on the celebration of the tercentenary of the foundation of the College, and, indeed, changed somewhat its character, transforming a celebration of rejoicing into a celebration of mourning. He afterwards referred to the history of the College from its foundation to the present day, when it occupied a new building in a much better quarter, near the Palatine.

Dr. MacNeeley concluded by alluding to the munificence of the present Pope towards the Irish College, and to his frequent statements showing his affection for Ireland and her College in Rome, as when His Holiness said: "Ireland is ever near unto us, is ever at our side in that dear and splendid representative, the Irish College, which we warmly cherish, close at hand. How dear is this College to us is a secret to none. It is the hope of the Church not only in Ireland, but all over the world."

TOWN TENANTS COMMISSION.

THE ELIMINATION OF THE MIDDLEMAN.

At a sitting of the Town Tenants Commission in Dublin on Saturday evidence was given by Mr. Henry A. Vernon, F.S.I., agent over the Irish estates of the Earl of Pembroke. These consist of portion of the City of Dublin, and parts of Blackrock and Booterstown, Dundrum and Bray, with several rural townlands.

Mr. Vernon described the procedure adopted in granting leases on the estate. He said that it had been urged by a former witness that the ideal solution of the housing problem lay in every man becoming the owner of his house, but this was possibly a somewhat short-sighted view of the position. Probably a more ideal state of affairs, though equally impossible of realisation, was that each man should hold his own house directly under the ground landlord.

The practice on the Pembroke estate in granting reversionary leases was to deal, where possible, with the occupying tenant, who, in most cases, had by far the largest interest in the property. The middleman, whether he represented the builder, or the purchaser of the builder's interest, had almost invariably obtained a sufficient profit rent over a long period to provide, in addition to a reasonable return on his outlay, a sinking fund to recoup such outlay.

CAPTAIN REDMOND'S BILL.

One of the chief principles embodied in Captain Redmond's Town Tenants Bill was that of fixity of tenure, but Mr. Vernon considered that his proposals were calculated to destroy entirely all reversionary values, and in this connection it was necessary to point out that estate duty always had been assessed and paid on the full, including reversionary, value of property, and that sales were continually being effected at prices which were based largely on the reversionary value of the property. The gradual elimination, in so far as possible, of the middleman would appear to offer the best prospect of removing any grievance from which tenants now suffered.

Any legislation which would either prevent the raising of rents on the renewal of leases, or even fix a percentage of increase on the original building rent, would probably have the result of discouraging all building, as landlords would be tempted to demand much higher rents in the first place, and would not be prepared to expend large sums of money on development, as had been done in the past by the Pembroke estate.

A KERRY VIEW-POINT.

Mr. Sean O Murchadha, Killarney, representing the Co. Kerry Town Tenants Committee, stated that the tenants of houses in towns should have fixity of tenure, fair rents, and be able to obtain fair sale terms. Fair rents should be estimated as the original letting rents, while the other conditions remained the same. Landlords were now serving notices for increased rents, and securing same under unfair conditions. In cases where there was a chance of the sale of houses tenants should have some fund available to enable them to provide purchase money on fair terms. The borrowing powers of urban councils were limited and insufficient. The procurement of sites for houses for town tenants should be made cheap, speedy, and satisfactory. The houses built under recent Housing Acts cost £730 each to build, and they were sold to a class of people for whom the houses were never intended for £530 each. The style of houses was beyond the reach of the most needy.

INVASION OF BELFAST.

LORD MAYOR WELCOMES FOOTBALL ENTHUSIASTS.

Over two thousand football enthusiasts from Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire arrived in Belfast last Saturday to witness the International football match between England and Ireland, which Ireland won by two goals to nil. The excursionists arrived on three special steamers from Heysham and Fleetwood. Unfortunately, the weather conditions were exceedingly dismal, and rain fell heavily the whole day. The visitors, however, were welcomed in the City Hall by the Lord Mayor (Sir William Turner).

The Lord Mayor said that that great gathering was unique in all his experience. Never had they had so large a gathering of English sportsmen, organized together as in one happy family, come to see a great International football match and to cheer and encourage their fellow-countrymen.

The High Sheriff (Councillor Donald Cheyne) also welcomed the visitors. He said that he was deputy-chairman of the Education Committee of Belfast, and it might interest the sportsmen from England to know that, for the benefit of the many thousands of school children in Belfast, the committee were developing a very large section of their activities for the promotion of sport.

Mr. J. G. Hickling, organiser of the excursion, thanked the Lord Mayor for his welcome.

IRISH PHILATELIC SOCIETY.

A meeting of the Irish Philatelic Society was held on Thursday last at the Society's rooms, 5 Molesworth street, Dublin. A large attendance of members enjoyed the exhibition of a portion of Dr. J. P. O'Connor's famous Belgian collection, which has won nine medals in the principal exhibitions in Europe, the United States and England, and contains many unique stamps, blocks and varieties.

Dr. J. Stafford Johnson suggested that the Society should form a collection of stamps used in Ireland, so as to get as many postmarks as possible, with a view to making this branch of philately popular.

The suggestion was carried unanimously, and all the members present promised their support. Some new members were elected.

You simply cannot say your prayers if you are suffering from a bad attack of indigestion.—The Dean of Chester.

MERMAID OIL CURES CHILBLAINS.—(Advt.)

THE BETTING ACT LICENCES.

MANY RENEWALS TO BE OPPOSED.

ACTION OF THE CIVIC GUARD IN DUBLIN.

Intimation has been conveyed by the Civic Guard to a number of bookmakers in the Dublin Metropolitan area that the certificates necessary for them to secure renewal of their licences will not be granted. The number of licences affected is stated to be a large percentage of the 256 premises licensed under the Betting Act of 1926. The total number of licensed bookmakers in the Free State is 629.

All the licences expire at midnight on October 31 next. Their renewal is altogether in the decision of the superintendent of the Civic Guard in each division, who has to certify first as to the personal fitness of the applicant, and, secondly, that the premises are suitable for the carrying on of the business. In Dublin many certificates have been refused under one or both of these heads.

"PERSONAL FITNESS."

In either case the discretion of the superintendent is strictly confined to certain specified grounds of objection. In this, as in other aspects of the Act, the mark of the politician is apparent. As to personal fitness the important ground for objection is "that the applicant is by reason of his general character or his known habits not a fit person to hold a bookmaker's licence." That lends itself to a wide interpretation, and there is reason to believe that the police include therein the use of bad language in the conduct of the business and failure to pay when the client wins.

The bulk of the refusals to certify for renewal are on the ground that the premises have been conducted "in such manner as to cause or encourage persons to congregate and loiter in large numbers inside or outside the premises." Here we see the police effort to put an end, in the only way open to them, to the scandal which, since its exposure in the *Irish Times* a few weeks ago, has been the subject of much comment. Many of the bookmakers adopted a system of "betting on the slate," that is, taking bets and paying out on each race as the runners and the winners are received by telephone. It simply amounts to turning the premises into a racecourse ring on a small scale, and in those betting "saloons," as they have come to be known, men and women often in hundreds congregate. One of those places is fitted up to hold six hundred people, and on the day of an important race in England it is filled to overflowing. The heads of the Civic Guard have received many complaints on this head, and decided to use every power conferred on them by the Act to end the demoralising system. Hence many of those who have been paying out after each race have been refused certificates.

COMMISSIONERS' POWERS.

The bookmaker who has been refused a certificate for renewal of his licence, whether on the grounds of personal fitness or suitability of premises, can appeal to the District Court against the superintendent's decision, and the court can either confirm or disallow the refusal. In the latter case the applicant must get the necessary certificate. Where a number of persons are registered as joint proprietors of a betting premises, and any one of them ceases to be a licensed bookmaker, the Revenue Commissioners shall immediately upon such withdrawal coming to their knowledge remove the premises from the register of bookmaking offices. That provision meets the possibility of a person who has lost his licence on personal grounds being able to carry on the business in an indirect way.

It may be added that bookmakers in the City of Dublin were repeatedly warned by the Guards that the new system which had been set up was one that might lead to the loss of the certificate, but few paid any attention to the warning. The attitude taken up by some of them was that they paid so much in taxation that the Government would not think of interfering in any way with such a useful source of revenue. A bookmaker whose certificate has been refused has twenty-seven days in which to lodge an appeal to the District Court. Pending the result of the appeal his licence holds good.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, DUBLIN.

OPENING OF THE ACADEMIC YEAR.

The annual ceremony associated with the opening of the academic year at University College, Dublin, took place yesterday. Members of the governing body, professors and students attended, and the Catholic University Church, St. Stephen's Green, was crowded.

The Most Rev. Dr. Cullen, Bishop of Kildare and Leighlin, presided at the High Mass, the celebrant of which was the Rev. John Burke, B.A.; deacon, the Rev. R. Concannon, B.A.; sub-deacon, the Rev. A. Crimmins, B.A.; master of ceremonies, the Rev. James Robinson, B.A. The Rev. E. R. Farrell was deacon to the Bishop.

Mr. Vincent O'Brien presided at the organ. The music of the Mass was beautifully rendered by a choir of students under the direction of the Rev. Michael Dempsey, D.D. The Right Rev. Monsignor Walsh, M.A., V.G., P.P., was also present.

Speaking after the first Gospel, the Rev. John Ryan, B.A., dean of residence, having alluded to the death of Cardinal O'Donnell, referred to the absence of the Archbishop, who is in Rome. Father Ryan conveyed to the staff and students the Archbishop's regret that he could not be with them on the occasion of the opening function, and, on behalf of the College, thanked the Bishop of Kildare for the honour of his presence.

THE SERMON.

The sermon was preached by the Very Rev. Michael Sweeney, O.M.I. He said that it was fitting that the supreme teaching faculty of the nation should assemble, as they had done that day, because when the work they had to do was for the uplifting of the nation, it was natural that they should rejoice to see it set out on right lines. The function which they were performing that day was needful. They had assembled to perform a public act of thanksgiving to God, and to beg of Him the blessings that were necessary to enable them to overcome the difficulties that were before them.

Never before perhaps was it more necessary to beware of the seductions of doctors of science and doctors of theology, whose teachings were prejudicial to true religion. Statesmen, too, were crying out that war and bloodshed were long overdue. It was these things that should give to the work of this college real value; and they had come together there to go down on their knees in an act of humility and to give God His rightful place in their daily lives.

To the professors and students he commended the words of the late Sir Bertram Windle: "Let science teach you humility and patience if it teach you nothing else; but you will have missed its greatest lesson if it fails to teach you the greatness of God."

Among those present were:—

Dr. Coffey, M.A., President; A. W. Conway, M.A., Registrar; J. W. Bacon, Secretary; Henry C. McWeeney, M.A.; Patrick Semple, M.A.; Michael Tierney, M.A., T.D.; the Rev. Denis O'Keefe, M.A.; James N. Meenan, M.B., D.P.H.; Maurice Hayes, F.R.C.S.I.; Edward P. McLoughlin, B.A., M.B.; Daniel A. Binchy, M.A., Ph.D.; the Rev. John Shine, M.A.; Agnes O'Farrelly, M.A.; Joseph Doyle, M.Sc.; Edward Sheridan, L.D.S., F.R.C.S.I.; Mary K. O'Kelly, B.A.; Donal O'Connor, A.C.A.; Thomas T. O'Farrell, D.P.H.; Mary T. Hayden, M.A.; Mary Macken, M.A.; Robert Donovan, B.A.; B. F. Shields, M.A.; the Rev. Timothy Corcoran, S.J., D.Litt.; P. McGilligan, Minister for Industry and Commerce; John M. O'Sullivan, M.A., Ph.D., Minister for Education; Henry J. Seymour, B.A., B.Sc.; James M. O'Connor, M.D.; the Rev. Thomas A. Finlay, S.J., M.A.; Arthur E. Clery, B.A., LL.D.; John J. Nolan, M.A., D.Sc.; Mr. Justice Murnaghan, M.A., LL.D.; J. Bayley Butler, M.A., M.B.; Joseph Algar, M.A., D.Sc.; James J. O'Neill, Librarian; the Very Rev. Patrick Canon Boylan, M.A., D.D., D.Litt.; M. Roger Chauvire, D.ès.L.; Ellen Harnett, M.A.; Patrick J. Nolan, M.Sc., Ph.D.; Henry L. Barniville, M.D., M.Ch.; John Keane, M.Sc., Ph.D.; Joseph MacSweeney, M.A.; Margaret Bowler, M.A.; William J. Williams, M.A.; the Rev. Michael F. Egan, S.J., M.A.; John J. Webb, M.A., LL.D.; John MacNeill, B.A., D.Litt.; the Rev. J. O'Mahony, S.J.; the Very Rev. P. Lawless, S.M.; the Very Rev. B. Cullen, C.M.; the Very Rev. E. Byrne, S.M.; Mr. J. Drew, the Rev. A. Gwynn, S.J.; Henry F. Moore, M.D.

TURKEY MARKET OPENS.

Mountmellick turkey market opened last Saturday, when there was a large supply on offer, the price opening at 10d. to 10½d. and 11d. per lb.

I am not very fond of that word "intellectual."—Mr. Baldwin.

BISHOP'S REPROOF TO CANON.

"COURSE YOU TOOK IS INDEFENSIBLE."

During the Service at the Church of St. Michael, Paternoster Royal, College Hill, London, yesterday morning Canon Bullock-Webster stated that he had received a letter from the Bishop of London. Later a copy of the letter was handed to the Press, with Canon Bullock-Webster's reply. The letters are as follow:—

FULHAM PALACE, S.W. 6.
21st OCTOBER, 1927.

DEAR BULLOCK-WEBSTER,—If you read what I said a few weeks ago, dissociating myself publicly from the attitude of the Bishop of Birmingham respecting the Sacraments, you will realise that I understand the feelings which prompted your action in St. Paul's Cathedral on Sunday last.

None the less, I feel bound to point out to you that the course you took last Sunday is really indefensible. I had already, by my spoken words, made what may be termed a protest on behalf of the Diocese of London.

Consider the possible consequences of the course you followed. Suppose a preacher were to advocate what you and I regard as clearly Roman teaching respecting the Holy Communion, and a band of stalwart Protestants were to protest against it in St. Paul's Cathedral during Divine Service. It is not thus that we can legitimately promote truth and order in the Church's life.

I am sure that you would wish me to tell you frankly my view of the matter.—Yours sincerely,

A. F. LONDON.

The following is the Canon's reply:—

DEAR LORD BISHOP,—I need scarcely say that I accept your lordship's reproof in all due submission, assuring you that the weightiness of its reprimand is in no degree lessened by the gentleness of its wording.

May I add that I find some little alleviation for the pain of my bishop's censure in having received during the last five days telegrams, letters, telephone messages and verbal communications from considerably over a thousand grateful and gladdened people, who have been compelled to recognise that there was evidently no other effectual means of drawing public attention to the profane utterances of the Bishop of Birmingham? These letters are from all classes and walks in life, high and low, gentle and simple, Catholic and Protestant, who have been waiting long for some denunciation and protest from the Episcopal bench, and waiting, alas, in vain.—Believe me, your lordship's dutiful servant,

G. R. BULLOCK-WEBSTER.

OTHER VIEWS.

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more of God by the discoveries of natural science. Oh! shame on the narrow, small-minded people who are jealous and afraid of knowledge and science, instead of rejoicing in it.—*At the Temple Church, Temple, London, E.C.*

THE BISHOP OF DURHAM:

"We are living in a period of spiritual distress. There have been intervals and epochs of religious and intellectual exhaustion, when men seemed to be in perplexity as to their religious beliefs, and to have lost the energy to seek or to act greatly.

"No recognised spiritual leaders were visible in one of those intervals or epochs. No masterful figures stood out to view in the fields of social and political life. It was, as we say, an iron age of small men and small achievements. These intervals of exhaustion appeared to be induced by many and different causes. New discoveries and inventions might disturb the established belief, and induce a general confusion of thought. Faith itself seemed to be in danger with the creeds and formularies which professed to declare it. This would seem to have been the case in the fifteenth and nineteenth centuries. It was certainly the case of the twentieth century. Extreme ecclesiastical corruption, or violent and long-continued religious controversy, would tend to induce spiritual stagnation.

"Many and weighty testimonials assure us that we are living in one of the recurrent periods of spiritual distress. Such periods have been traversed in the past. They were never permanent and only preceded some grand epoch of spiritual manifestation and enlargement. We may be sure that even now God is preparing His instruments in the sanctuary, and that in His own appointed time those instruments will be revealed and will work wondrously."—*At Durham last night.*

THE REV. R. A. MITCHELL, Hon. Canon of Winchester:

It is characteristic of the modern man that he dislikes dogma, and regards Christianity, as commonly represented to the world to-day, as being too dogmatic and too much an affair of creeds, formalities and intellectual definitions, whereas the religion of Jesus Christ was an affair of life. It is difficult to deny that orthodox Christianity has been almost from the beginning too dogmatic.

The very controversy which threatens to destroy our peace—all this trouble about the new Prayer Book and certain other troubles that has followed in its train—are the outcome, direct or indirect, of this invincible tendency to dogmatise too much, to define too much, and then to make our definitions a question of Christian discipline.—*In Westminster Abbey.*

THE REV. R. J. CAMPBELL:

I preached in Birmingham Cathedral last Sunday night, and there was a great deal of excited discussion about the opinions of the Bishop of Birmingham. The Bishop's words are quoted as if they imply that every man is the product of a sort of mechanical evolution, with which God has nothing to do, that there is no room for grace to-day, and that it is all a matter of our struggling up. How false it is!

There is so much in the Press and scientific circles to-day implying that man unaided can achieve his destiny. It is false. Man is helpless without the grace of God.—*At Holy Trinity Church, Brighton.*

RABBI DR. MATTUCK:

If Dr. Barnes does not believe in miracles, would he be honest if he kept silent? If he believes that religion is in danger of corruption by a kind of superstition, is it not his duty to speak out? It is the duty of religion to seek the truth. To believe in evolution is more in accord with the spirit of religion than to believe in the story of the first chapter of Genesis. Evolution is the name of God working constantly—the God of the first chapter of Genesis worked once.—*At the Liberal Jewish Synagogue, St. John's Wood, London.*

MATRICULATION, 1927.
12 Successes gained by the Intermediate and University College, 109 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin. Night Classes now forming for students engaged at business during day. Morning Classes now working for 1928 Matriculation, Pharmaceutical, and other preliminaries. We secured 25th Place Clerical Officers', July, 1927; 4th Place, Easter Scholarship, 1926; 11th Place, Royal Bank, June, 1927.—(Advt.)

POSTPONIN[G] AGE OF [...]

GROWING EXP[...] OF LI[...]

WONDERFUL [...] OF BACTER[...]

Professor Joseph W[...] Sc.D., F.R.C.P.I., th[...] read an address on "T[...] Life and the Bacteriolog[...] at the opening meeting [...] session of the Du[...] Biological Association, i[...] Memorial Hall, Trinity [...] on Saturday night last, [...] going President, Dr. [...] presided.

Having shown the co[...] the expectation of life [...] logical laboratory, Dr. [...] expectation of life migh[...] postponing the age of dea[...] ing avoidable death. In [...] 1922 the expectation [...] by fourteen years than [...] 1871-1880, and in the last [...] death-rate had fallen by [...]

LIFE TAB[...]

THE ADVANCE O[...] SCIENCE[...]

Dr. Bigger said that there [...] ascertaining the expectation [...] was that used by insuran[...] premiums were regulated [...] as the O.M. table, which had [...] from the actual experience [...] insurances offices between t[...] 1893. The second method [...] pectation of life was from t[...] and the deaths registered i[...] over periods of three or te[...] table method reflected faith[...] ness or otherwise of the p[...] period of years. According [...] tables of England and Wale[...] the experience of the years [...] male aged 25 years had a [...] 44.48 years. According to [...] the expectation of life [...] The expectation of life was [...] all males, healthy and sick [...] land and Wales by about f[...] appeared to be for those [...] men who insured their lives.

Medical science was cons[...] along one line, now along [...] time physiology showed the [...] gress. That was followed [...] and to-day bio-chemistry w[...] fore their eyes new and [...] Bacteriology was still a ne[...] within the lifetime of every[...] advanced in so many direct[...] difficult to trace its histo[...] fashion. It was little more [...] ago since, thanks chiefly to [...] two intellectual giants, Pas[...] bacteriology was firmly es[...] science—an appreciation of t[...] were necessary for any real [...] medicine and surgery. In [...] pathology, the action of bacte[...] and animal bodies was inves[...] methods by which the bo[...] action of bacteria carefully [...] teriologists made no nice di[...] the animal and vegetable k[...] early days, for all disease wa[...] Questions of transmission of [...] being investigated, and it w[...] that man might be infected [...] other man, but also by animal[...] and tuberculosis. The pract[...] of these discoveries could [...] phasised, for by knowing ho[...] insect a disease was spread [...] quently stamp out the disease[...]

A MARTYR TO SC[...]

It is not unfitting, said th[...] to-night we should recall in [...] the death of Adrian Stokes, w[...] in his efforts to complete our [...] had, to use his own words, "t[...] To some other must go th[...] landing, but the name of Stok[...] be forgotten, for he was one [...] his life in the name of scie[...] might live.

As a tribute to the mem[...] Stokes those present rose to [...] remained standing in silence fo[...]

Proceeding, Dr. Bigger tra[...] tion between the expectation [...] bacteriological laboratory. Ex[...] might be increased by postpo[...] death, or, what amounted to [...] by preventing avoidable death[...] could the biological laboratory [...] were five chief functions of [...] each with its own influence o[...] namely—research, diagnosis, [...] phylaxis, and therapeutics. [...] search was by far the most [...] sufficient had been said to [...] much could be done by rese[...] strate the cause of many infe[...]

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DEATH OF CARDINAL O'DONNELL.

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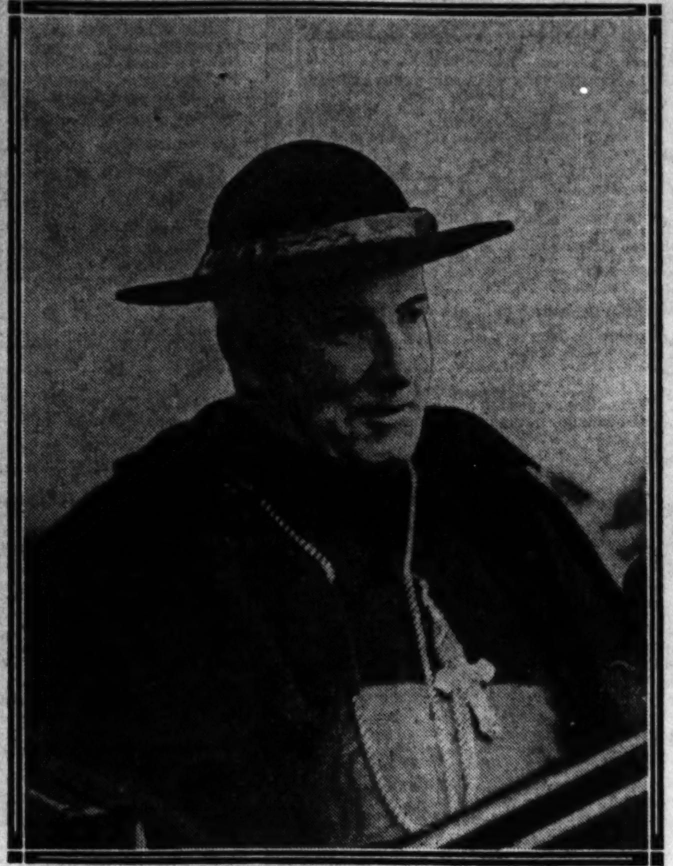

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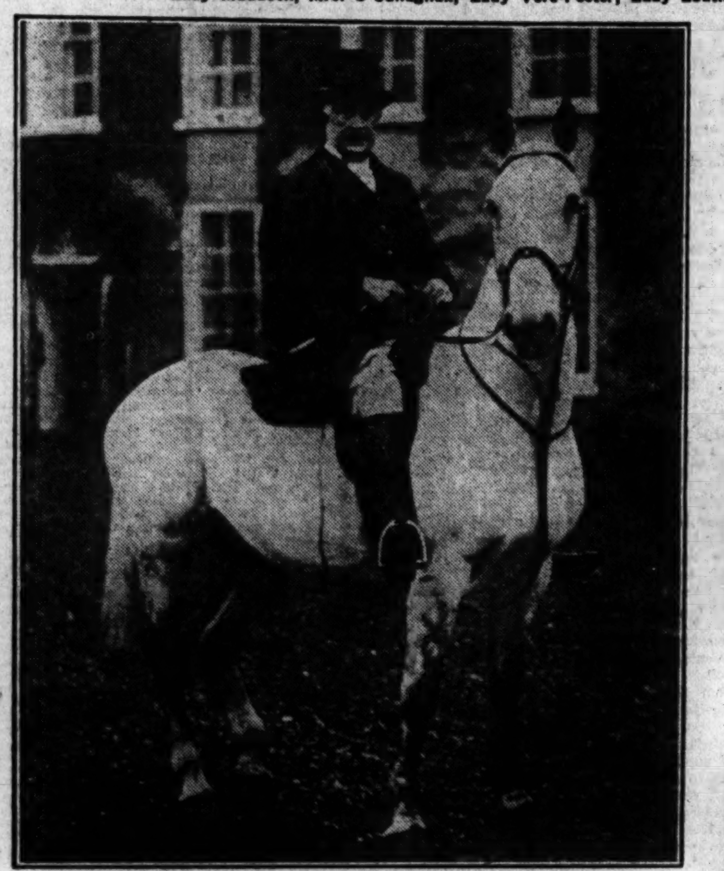

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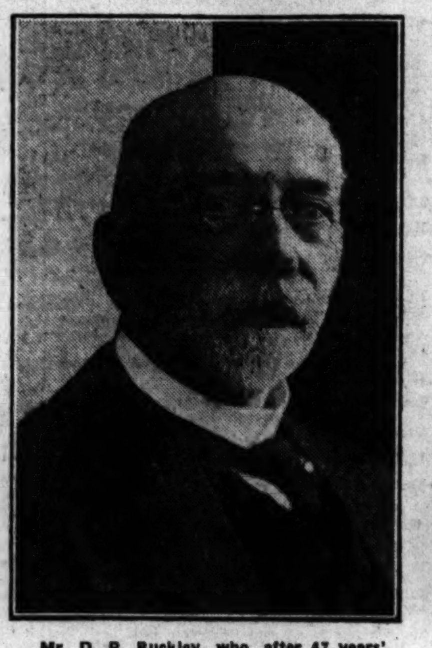
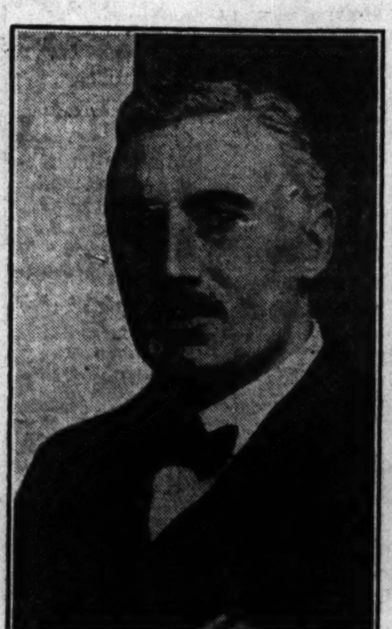


Mr. D. P. Buckley, who, after 47 years' service in the London, Midland and Scottish Railway Company, has retired from the post of district traffic agent at Cork.—*Lafayette.*

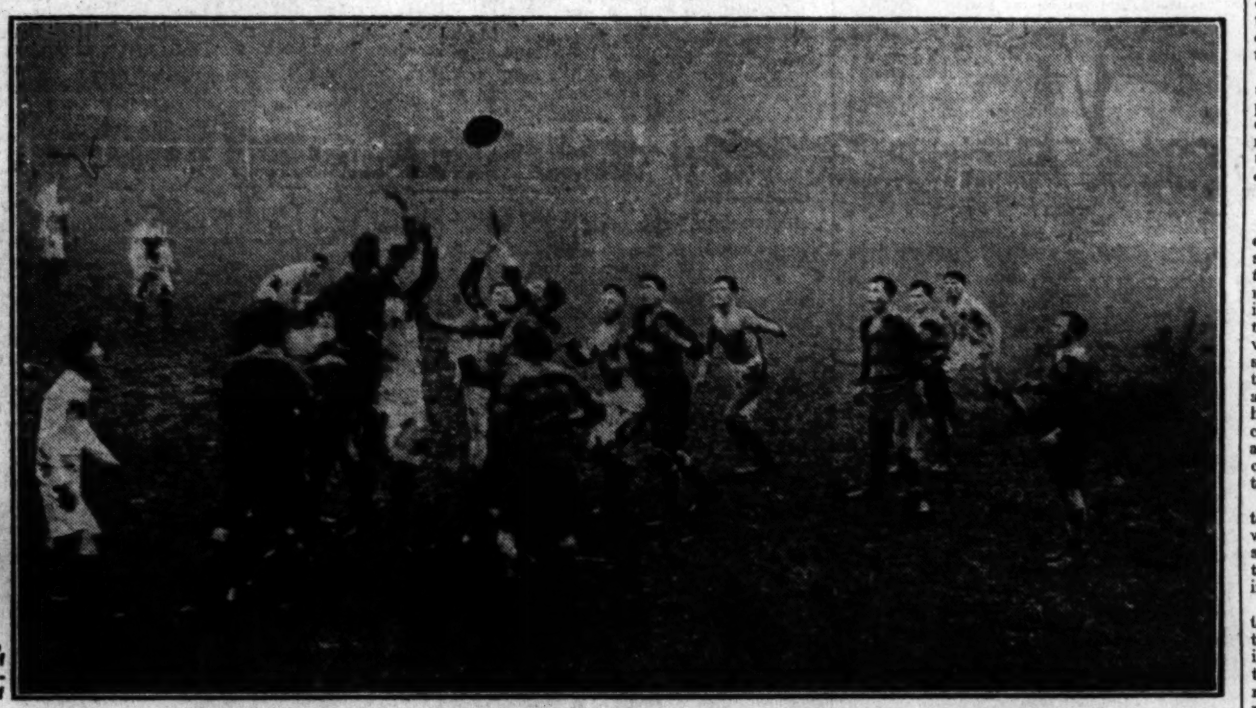


ROYAL HIBERNIAN ACADEMY.

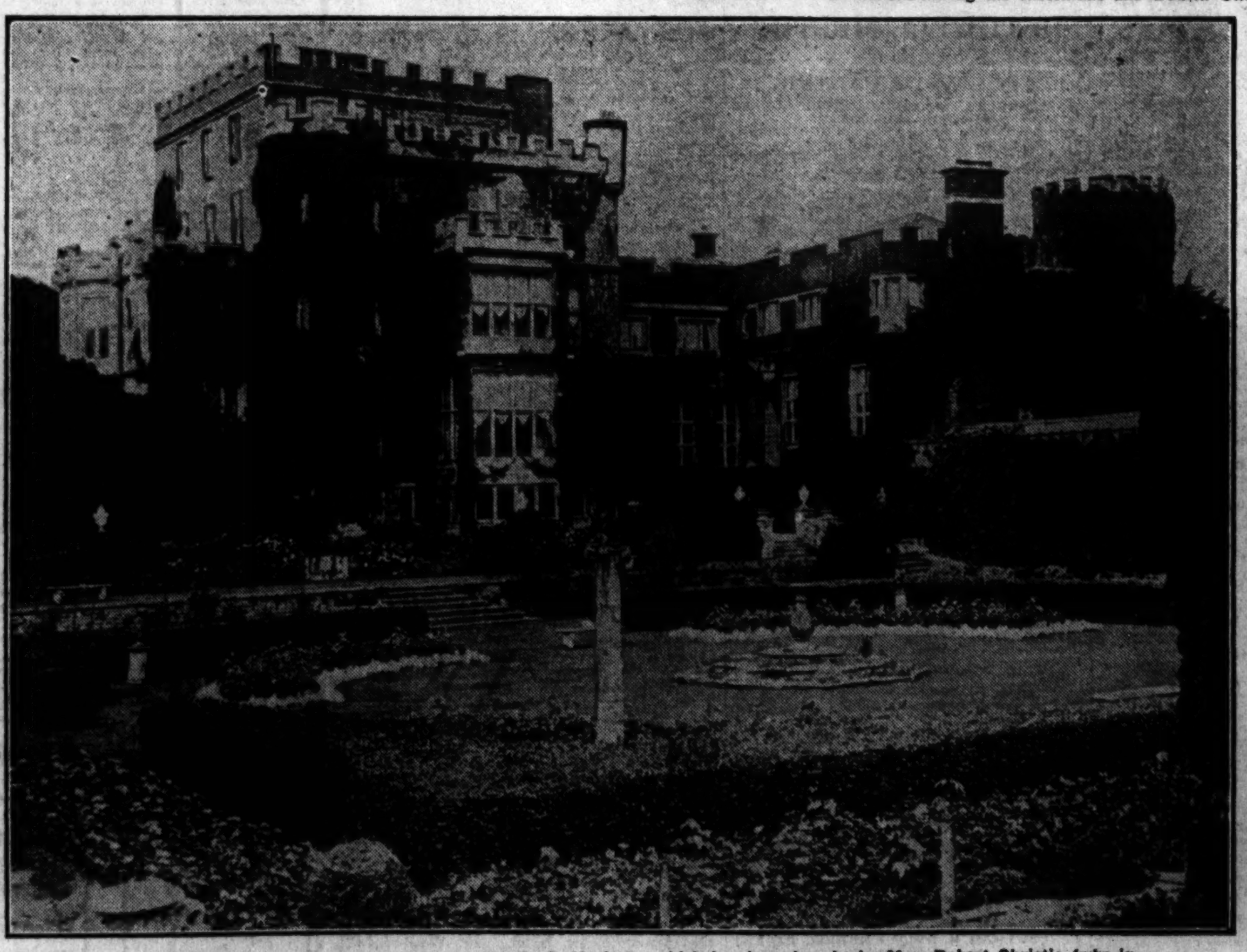
Mr. R. M. Butler, F.R.I.B.A., F.R.I.A.I., architect, who has been elected an Associate.—*Lafayette.* Mr. Dermod O'Brien, the new President.—*Lafayette.*

Captain W. Booker, M.C., Crossakiel, Kells, Co. Meath, who has been appointed a Peace Commissioner.

Mr. A. N. B. Wyse, C.B.E., M.A., Assistant Secretary, Northern Ministry of Education, who has been appointed Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Education.—*Lafayette.*



A line-out during the Instonians and Dublin University match at College Park, Dublin, last Saturday.



The beautiful castle on Brownsea Island, near Poole Harbour, which has been bought by Mrs. Robert Christie (who inherited a huge fortune from her father, Mr. Sopher Whitburn) for £125,000.

The Hon. Mrs. Cripps (formerly the Duchess of Westminster) at the meet of the Quorn Hounds.

POSTPONING THE AGE OF DEATH.

GROWING EXPECTATION OF LIFE.

WONDERFUL PROGRESS OF BACTERIOLOGY.

Professor Joseph W. Bigger, M.D., Sc.D., F.R.C.P.I., the President-elect, read an address on "The Expectation of Life and the Bacteriological Laboratory," at the opening meeting of the fifty-third session of the Dublin University Biological Association, in the Graduates' Memorial Hall, Trinity College, Dublin, on Saturday night last, at which the outgoing President, Dr. R. A. Stoney, presided.

Having shown the connection between the expectation of life and the bacteriological laboratory, Dr. Bigger said that expectation of life might be increased by postponing the age of death or by preventing avoidable death. In the period 1920-1922 the expectation of life was greater by fourteen years than in the period 1871-1880, and in the last half-century the death-rate had fallen by 21 per cent.

LIFE TABLES.

THE ADVANCE OF MEDICAL SCIENCE.

Dr. Bigger said that there were two ways of ascertaining the expectation of life. The first was that used by insurances offices, where premiums were regulated by a table known as the O.M. table, which had been constructed from the actual experience of sixty British insurances offices between the years 1863 and 1893. The second method of finding the expectation of life was from the census returns and the deaths registered in a single year or over periods of three or ten years. The life table method reflected faithfully the healthiness or otherwise of the particular year or period of years. According to the latest life tables of England and Wales, those based on the experience of the years 1920 to 1922, a male aged 25 years had an expectation of 44.48 years. According to the O.M. table the expectation of life was 39.58 years. The expectation of life was now greater for all males, healthy and sick together, in England and Wales by about five years than it appeared to be for those carefully selected men who insured their lives.

Medical science was constantly advancing along one line, now along another. At one time physiology showed the most marked progress. That was followed by bacteriology, and to-day bio-chemistry was spreading before their eyes new and attractive vistas. Bacteriology was still a new subject which, within the lifetime of everybody there, had advanced in so many directions that it was difficult to trace its history in a logical fashion. It was little more than fifty years ago since, thanks chiefly to the work of the two intellectual giants, Pasteur and Koch, bacteriology was firmly established as a science—an appreciation of the facts of which were necessary for any real understanding of medicine and surgery. In conjunction with pathology, the action of bacteria on the human and animal bodies was investigated, and the methods by which the body resisted the action of bacteria carefully examined. Bacteriologists made no nice distinctions as to the animal and vegetable kingdoms in the early days, for all disease was their province. Questions of transmission of disease were also being investigated, and it was soon realised that man might be infected not only by another man, but also by animals, as in anthrax and tuberculosis. The practical importance of these discoveries could not be over-emphasised, for by knowing how and by what insect a disease was spread they could frequently stamp out the disease.

A MARTYR TO SCIENCE.

It is not unfitting, said the lecturer, that to-night we should recall in this connection the death of Adrian Stokes, who gave his life in his efforts to complete our knowledge. He had, to use his own words, "the fish hooked." To some other must go the credit for the landing, but the name of Stokes will not soon be forgotten, for he was one who laid down his life in the name of science that others might live.

As a tribute to the memory of Adrian Stokes those present rose to their feet, and remained standing in silence for a few minutes.

Proceeding, Dr. Bigger traced the connection between the expectation of life and the bacteriological laboratory. Expectation of life might be increased by postponing the age of death, or, what amounted to the same thing, by preventing avoidable death. In what way could the biological laboratory do that? There were five chief functions of the laboratory, each with its own influence on public health, namely—research, diagnosis, control, prophylaxis, and therapeutics. Of these, research was by far the most important, and sufficient had been said to make clear how much could be done by research to demonstrate the cause of many infectious diseases.

THE FALLING DEATH RATE.

In order that the influence of the bacteriological laboratory on the expectation of life might be considered, the lecturer submitted tables showing the expectation at various age periods in different years. The expectation of life in 1920-22 was greater by 14 years than in the period 1871-80. In the last half-century the death rate had fallen by 21 per cent.

Apart from figures, however, no one would deny the great advance of surgery in the half-century and the number of lives now saved which fifty years ago would undoubtedly have been lost. He made the bold claim that for virtually all the advances made by surgery, for nearly all the lives saved, the credit must be awarded to bacteriology. It had been calculated that the total number sick at any time throughout the year was about double the number of deaths occurring during the year. In the Free State in 1925 more than 43,000 deaths occurred, and, on that basis, 86,000 were sick every day. By saving one death, particularly one death from an infectious disease, they were saving very many days of sickness, saving the cost of treating those sick, and permitting their labours to enrich their country. Many years ago the value in potential labour to the country of an English agricultural labourer was assessed at £200. On that basis they in the Free State lost £8,600,000 each year in the deaths of their people. He did not wish to stress unduly the financial aspect, for the pathos of unnecessary death should in itself be a sufficient spur to fresh achievement, but he realised the truth of Andrew Balfour's dictum—"Demonstrate material monetary benefits resulting from hygienic measures and you may carry the day." That hygiene did pay, and pay handsomely, was just beginning to be realised.

THE TEACHING OF HYGIENE.

We want the people in Ireland to realise these facts, said Dr. Bigger. We must start with our own profession and try to teach hygiene better, try to teach our doctors normality and prevention, rather than abnormality and disease. We want to prevent the occurrence of incidents such as that reported from a village in County Dublin the other day, where the medical officer condemned the water supply because five cases of diphtheria had occurred. There is an urgent need for the dissemination to the public of accurate information on health and how it may be kept and on simple hygienic sufficient to prevent the occurrence of many diseases. Instructions in the schools would do most, but we must also attempt to reach the adults, as can be done by posters, handbills and newspapers. . . . Not only the public, but our local authorities, and even our Government Departments are lacking in vision as to the importance of public health.

The medical men engaged in this service are, for the most part, wretchedly paid, and, as you may have read in a number of cases of late, country authorities are unwilling to appoint medical officers on grounds of economy. Such is the falsest of false economy; for a country which is not prosperous cannot afford to indulge in the luxury of ill-health. It would be a very inefficient M.O.H. who could not save twenty lives a year in his country, a saving surely worth £1,000, without considering the corresponding saving in sickness.

WHERE IRELAND LAGS.

Proceeding, Dr. Bigger said that bacteriology had led to the saving of very many lives, but even with the incomplete knowledge they now possessed it could save very many more. The way had been pointed out, but the Public Health Authorities had not followed it. Public opinion must force them to do their utmost to save the lives which present knowledge allowed them to save. There were hospitals in which cases of infectious diseases were treated at the expense of the community, but there was no provision except of the most general description for the prevention of those diseases. Laboratory facilities were available, at the public expense, for the diagnosis of venereal diseases, but what of diphtheria, tuberculosis, enteric and many other diseases? Accurate diagnosis was half the battle in diphtheria, but neither the State nor the local authorities offered the assistance of the laboratory. In most civilised countries facilities for laboratory diagnosis and for the detection of carriers of infectious diseases were available, but Ireland lagged behind.

"It is now time," concluded Dr. Bigger, "that the public realised what hygiene can do, and insist on it being done in order that the present generation may reap the harvest that bacteriology has sown as it is being reaped in other countries. Is it not time that Ireland should follow this lead, and engage in serious effort to prevent those diseases which we know to be preventable?

VITAL STATISTICS.

Proposing a vote of thanks, Dr. F. E. Wynne, M.O.H., Sheffield, congratulated Professor Bigger in having chosen the question of vital statistics, and having made an ordinarily dull subject so interesting and so simple. Whatever their future careers were going to be, sooner or later the ultimate test of their work must be reduced to a statistical basis. He thought it very important that the rising generation of doctors and students should take the trouble to become familiar with the meaning of such things as corrected death rates. Vital statistics were really vital, and not a matter of mere dry-as-dust statistics.

The figures that Professor Bigger had quoted showed that there had been over the last fifty years an enormous increase in the expectation of life. He had given a most brilliant review of what had been done in the laboratories, and it was for the Public Health Services to employ those ideas and their discoveries.

Seconding the vote, Professor E. E. Glynn, Liverpool University, in an amusing speech, agreed that pathology, medicine and surgery had quietly in their own way added to the expectation of life, and increased the sum of happiness in life in these countries. Pathology was the handmaiden of medicine and surgery, who worked very quietly and had a great influence.

The vote of thanks was carried with acclamation.

On the motion of Dr. W. L. Treadway, United States Medical Service, seconded by Professor W. St. C. Symmers, M.D., Queen's University, Belfast, a resolution was passed declaring that the "Dublin University Biological Association is worthy of the support of all students of medicine and other sciences of the University."

A vote of thanks to the outgoing President was carried with acclamation on the motion of Mr. G. C. Dockeray, Record Secretary, seconded by Mr. A. G. C. Ffolliott, B.A., Corresponding Secretary.

AWARD OF MEADLS.

The Medal of Dublin University Biological Association was presented to Captain F. R. W. K. Allen for his paper on "Some Views on Eugenics and Preventive Medicine."

The John Mallet Purser Medal was presented to Mr. A. H. Thompson, and the Daniel John Cunningham Memorial Medal also to Mr. Thompson.

At a meeting of the Newry Presbytery yesterday, an unanimous "call" from the congregation of Kingstown Presbyterian Church was presented to the Rev. J. S. Rutherford, M.A., Warrenpoint.

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THE NEW ARTERIAL DRAINAGE BILL.

CHIEF PROVISIONS.

The Arterial Drainage (Minor Schemes) Bill, 1927, which has received its first reading in the Dail, is a measure of considerable importance. It makes provision for the formulating and carrying out by county councils of schemes of arterial drainage on a limited scale.

Section II. provides that any three or more persons, occupiers of land liable to be flooded or injured by water, or which are capable of being improved by drainage, may apply to the council of the county in which such lands are situate to have drainage works executed under this Act for the purpose of draining or improving such lands, provided that the total cost of the works will not exceed £1,000.

The bill then deals with the procedure to be pursued in order to have the scheme or schemes sanctioned by the Minister.

If the county council passes a resolution disapproving of the proposals contained in the petition the secretary of the county council shall communicate such resolution to the petitioners.

If the drainage scheme proposes to acquire any lands, rights or other property compulsorily, the owners of such lands, rights or other properties must receive at least 21 days' notice to enable them to lodge objections with the Ministry if they are opposed to such compulsory acquirements.

MINISTER'S POWERS.

If the total probable cost of a scheme exceeds £1,000, or if the aggregate value of so much of the lands proposed by the scheme to be drained or improved as are in the rated occupation of persons who have duly informed the Minister that they dissent from the scheme exceeds one-half of the total value as stated in the scheme, the Minister shall refuse to confirm the scheme, but if the probable cost does not exceed £1,000 and the aggregate value does not exceed one-half of the said total the Minister, after considering objections and holding such (if any) inquiry as he may think proper, shall confirm the scheme with or without alterations, or refuse to confirm the scheme.

When the Minister has confirmed a scheme the county council by which such scheme was prepared shall carry out the scheme, with such reasonable additions, omissions, variations and deviations as are found necessary in the course of the work.

After the confirmation of a drainage scheme the county council shall proceed to acquire the lands, rights and other property proposed in the scheme, and the amount of compensation payable to the owner of such lands, rights and property shall, in default of agreement, be fixed under and in accordance with the Acquisition of Land (Assessment of Compensation) Act, 1919, in like manner as if such compensation were the price of land compulsorily acquired.

When the drainage works under a scheme are completed, the Minister shall have the lands inspected and a report made to him as to the amounts by which the annual value of the land has been increased by the carrying out of the scheme.

COUNTY COUNCIL'S EXPENSES.

The expenses incurred by a county council in carrying out a drainage scheme shall, subject to the approval of the Minister, be defrayed out of the county fund or out of moneys raised for the purpose by borrowing under this Act, or partly out of both.

The repayment of expenses incurred by a county council in carrying out a scheme shall be raised by such council by means of an annual poundage rate, assessed on the several rated occupiers of the lands in the county of such council which were proposed in such scheme to be drained or improved.

All moneys which a county council is by this Act authorised or directed to pay out of the county fund; also all expenses incurred by a county council in the execution of this Act, and the raising of which is not otherwise provided for by this Act, shall be raised by means of the poor rate as a county-at-large charge.

FAIRS, MARKETS AND TOLLS.

LORD GREVILLE'S OFFER TO MULLINGAR.

At a special meeting of the Mullingar Town Commissioners, which was held last Saturday, the Chairman (Mr. J. J. Casey) presiding, Mr. J. A. Shaw, solicitor to the board, wrote regarding Lord Greville's offer of the fairs, markets and tolls, market house and fair green.

The letter stated that he (Mr. Shaw) had attended at the offices of the Minister of Local Government, and had a conference with the legal advisers to the Ministry, in accordance with instructions.

Mr. Shaw continued:—"They agreed with the opinion I expressed at your board in my recent letter, that, under the existing Public Health Acts and Fairs and Markets Acts, there is no legal power vested in the Town Commissioners to acquire a franchise to hold fairs, although they possess full statutory power to acquire markets, and submitted different propositions to evade what is really only a legal technical difficulty. The proposal that found most favour was that the Town Commissioners should appoint the Chairman and Town Clerk to take the fairs over on trust and pay any profits derived from same to the Town Commissioners, the Chairman for the time being and the Town Clerk to be continuing trustees. No moneys could be paid at any time out of the Town Commissioners' funds for expenditure in respect of the acquisition to charge tolls at fairs, as, of course, same would be surcharged by the auditor."

It was agreed to accept Lord Greville's offer on the terms suggested by Mr. Shaw.

The unfortunate position is that in this world there are men who will not be satisfied with not knowing.—Sir Arthur Keith.

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DUBLIN SAILORS' REST.

RAISING FUNDS TO PAY OFF DEBT.

Last Saturday afternoon the "Shipmates' Sale of Work" in the Hall, Lower Abbey street, Dublin, was opened by Lady Moore. The Right Hon. Andrew Jameson, P.C., presided. The primary object of the sale is, he said, to raise money to pay off the rest of the debt on the extension to the Dublin Sailors' Rest at 63 North Wall. The extension had cost £2,500, and of that sum about £700 is still owing. Our able Secretary, Mr. Stewart, has no doubt that during these two days the Society will get the money. The Dublin Sailors' Rest is one of four places of the kind in Ireland, and for their maintenance the Society had to draw on Great Britain to make up enough money. It is the hope of those connected with the work that the day is not far distant when we shall be able to say that we are able to support the institutions ourselves.

ONE HUNDRED YEARS' WORK.

It is not at all outside the resources of the Irish people to support our own Sailors' Rests. The new building is admirably designed for the work it has to do. The Society has been working for over a hundred years, and has a splendid record behind it. It keeps up establishments where the sailors can meet their friends, play games, hear good singing, and are looked after and made comfortable. It gives charitably-minded people a great opportunity for doing work for those men to whom these islands owe an enormous debt. Without our sailors we would be nothing at all in the ranks of the nations. It is up to us to help them in every way, and no better work can be done for them than keeping these Rests going. Another department of the Society looks after the orphans of men who have lost their lives at sea.

TRAINING BOYS FOR THE SEA.

There is also a great training school, where boys are educated for the sea. The record of our Irish boys in that institution is so high that they are very glad, indeed, to get them. In the nautical school boys are prepared to qualify for the Board of Trade certificates. The Carnegie Trust has given a grant to buy books to send to the lighthouses; £500 a year for three years was also offered for books for the sailors at sea. The Carnegie Trust authorities, in consideration of the way in which that money was administered, have now increased that grant to £1,500 a year.

Lady Moore said that she thought the name of the sale was a very happy inspiration. We are all shipmates in the sea of life. For those of us who have the more comfortable life, it behoves us to think of those at sea, and to ensure that when they come to land they have some place to rest and be thankful.

SUBSCRIPTIONS.

Another object of the sale, beyond raising funds, was to make it more widely known that there was a Sailors' Rest at 63 North Wall, and that the Treasurer, Alderman Hubbard Clark, and Mr. Stewart are ready to accept subscriptions.

Master Ian Morris, who was dressed to represent the picture of Lord Nelson as a boy, then presented Lady Moore with bouquet of white chrysanthemums.

Mr. Hubbard Clark proposed a vote of thanks to Lady Moore and Mr. Andrew Jameson. The vote was seconded by the Rev. J. S. Crockett and passed with acclamation. Mr. Crockett said that he had just received a subscription of £25 from Mr. Hubbard Clark, £10 from Lady Arnott, and £5 from Sir Walter Boyd.

Thrift, carried to excess, may be a personal vice, but it cannot fail to be a social virtue.—Sir J. A. R. Marriott, M.P.

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RACING PROSPECTS.

The Houghton Four Days: Cambridgeshire Analysis: Two-Year-Old Problem Unsolved: Asterus and the Super-Tax.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.
LONDON, Sunday Night.

It is a sort of tradition that at the Sandown Meeting during the week-end before the Cambridgeshire something should happen affecting the big handicap of the following Wednesday. Thirty-one years ago, at Sandown, Winkfield's Pride—but that story is a perennial that, if re-told here, small boys in Navan would greet as a chestnut. Anyhow, no Cambridgeshire candidate was knocked out to 200 to 1 yesterday, and I doubt if there was a bet worth mentioning struck on the race. Considerations of personal comfort in the terrible conditions were more important than the Cambridgeshire.

The German horse, Weissdorn, is a steady favourite for the race, about 4 to 1 being the best offer that can be obtained. Carslake is striving severely to do the 8st. 4lb. for him, and everyone connected with him seems very confident. He was a 20 to 1 chance in the Lincoln Handicap, City and Suburban, and Kempton Park Jubilee, where he was, respectively, sixth, sixth and sixteenth. He was a 10 to 1 chance in the Chesterfield Cup, at Goodwood, where he was third. These are the only handicaps in which he has run this season. In the meantime he has been dropped 10lb. in the handicapping since Lincoln, and is now a blazing favourite for the Cambridgeshire. He has done a good preparation, is very well, and it will be in his favour that the going is not likely to be hard on Wednesday.

Two candidates who had a coming appearance in the market on Friday were Lord Wimborne's filly, All's Blue, and Silver Lark, a fair commission having been spread around the latter. I anticipate, too, that he will come to a shorter price than that at which he now stands, for the combination of Richards and a well-fancied horse on the day will make some appeal. We have known All's Blue through the season as a five furlong filly, but I believe that her trainer, Jack Jarvis, has tried her to stay the distance, and has great hopes of her winning if she escapes the coughing which is prevalent in the stable.

Eleven years ago her dam, Eos, was thought to be a sprinter only, a view which had to be changed after she won the Cambridgeshire. The daughter of Buchan has a good deal of class on her side, and the record of three-year-old fillies in this race is good. Verdict, Zinovia and Silver Tag, as well as Eos, have all won it in recent years, and there was once a three-year-old with 6st. 10lb., called Hackler's Pride, so that precedents are not against the chance of All's Blue.

FOHANAUN'S FORM.

Fohanaun has not done a really good gallop for some time past, and it remains to be seen how he goes when, as is likely, he will be galloped to-morrow morning. The trial which Inca won with Delius on Friday seems to have been a good one, and this three-year-old mare has always kept her best form for the back-end, though hitherto she has shown it over a mile only.

I have no good news of Apelle, but if Mr. Persse has been able to give him all the strong work he needs we can be prepared for a good showing on his part. There should be some developments on the race in the course of the next day or two, and definite expression of opinion can be delayed until the night before the race.

The programme for the four days is not so interesting as we have known it to be at other Houghton meetings. The back-end of the season is suffering in interest from the early retirement of so many of the good two-year-olds, though one, The Hermit, is likely to be started for the Moulton Stakes on Wednesday, which he should win. It may be noted that the compiler of the Free Handicap has been unable to make up his mind whether The Hermit, Buland, or Fairway is the best of the season, and accordingly he has placed the three together at the top with 9st. I shall have a few reams to write about the Free Handicap in the winter evenings, so we can postpone the consideration of that interesting compilation.

There is no first-class two-year-old engaged in the Criterion Stakes on Tuesday, and those left in the Dewhurst on Thursday are below the average of the race, except, perhaps, in the case of Lord Derby's filly, Toboggan, who, it was understood, had been retired for the season. The opportunity of declaring forfeit for her last Tuesday was not, however, taken. We shall see only one of the classic three-year-olds during the week, this being Hot Night, who remains in the Limekiln Stakes, run on Tuesday, where he has only Tattoo, Kincardine and Baralong to meet. Nor can one muster up enthusiasm over the Jockey Club Cup on Thursday, the last event of its kind of the year.

Finglas did not go to Paris to run for the Prix du Conseil Municipal this afternoon, so I imagine he is not all right, and he may be absent from Thursday's race. Bois Josselyn, who was seventh in the Cesarewitch, has remained over to run for this, and as Lightning Artist may not have recovered from the cuts he received in the Cesarewitch, the French horse seems to have the beating of most of the others.

THE FUTURE OF ASTERUS.

I mentioned here the other day that overtures had been made to M. Boussac, the owner of Asterus, after he had beaten Colorado, to induce him to allow the son of Teddy to go to the stud in England, and he was greatly inclined to leave him here, where he could meet better-bred mares. When, however, he went into the figures of the subject and found how much he would have to disburse in super-tax out of the horse's stud fees, he very definitely decided to keep him at his own stud in Normandy, where his fee will be 300 guineas. A number of English breeders have already taken nominations to him.

We had the first day's jumping of the season in the London area yesterday, when the sport at Sandown was under National Hunt Rules. This odd jumping day in October at Sandown is always immensely popular, but yesterday was the last occasion on which we shall have it, for in the fixture list for next year Sandown's two days in October are on Wednesday and Thursday, and it has been decreed that both shall be under the Rules of Racing.

It was pleasant to see how many jumping enthusiasts turned out yesterday, for the quality of the weather beggared description. This was unfortunate, as the sport was very good. Soothing Glass, a gallant winner of the Victory Steeplechase at Manchester and the Grand Annual at Cheltenham, has descended to selling plate company and ran for the opening steeplechase. He was interfered with and fell back last, and then came down at the last obstacle.

The race fell to that popular and successful trainer, Mr. Pendarves, with Roi Rouge, a gelding that made nearly £2,000 at the sale of the late Mr. Adam Scott's horses. He was found to have a weak heart, and Mr. Pendarves bought him for 240 guineas, which was forty more than it cost to buy him here after he had beaten Holiday Hall.

AN UNSUCCESSFUL OBJECTION.

An Irish mare, Grand Points, ran for the Selling Hurdle, and was well backed, but she finished last of all, May Eve, after swerving all over the place, winning by six lengths from Berryboy, whose jockey laid an unsuccessful objection for crossing and boring.

The principal event of the day, the Cholmondeley Handicap Steeplechase, brought out thirteen runners, only four of which survived. It was won by one of the four that Percy Woodland started—Confirmation, a son of Achtoi, who was a good horse on the flat a few seasons ago when he ran third for the Cesarewitch and won the Queen's Prize at Kempton. He and Fassaroe came to the last fence together, and then Confirmation drew right away and beat the other by four lengths, Ballystockart being third, a head away, and Postino, the only other to finish.

Misconduct was the first casualty, he having slipped into the ditch by the Eclipse post. Then Mutinous, a much-fancied candidate from Middleham, came on, and at the water only the four who finished and Rathowen were standing up. Rathowen is a good-looking horse, whom Dick Payne bought in Ireland for Mr. Deterding, and he was going well until he fell two fences from home.

Golden Brick was a depressing sort of favourite from Blaris for the Norbiton Hurdle, for he would not go at all and was soon tailed off a long way. Gilbert Bennett very much fancied the chance of Kepi Amarante, and after Blaris had quite failed to give away the weight an utterly unfancied horse in Knight Bachelor, from Coulthwaite's stable, came on the post to beat the presumed good thing by a head. This winner is a son of Bachelor's Double and Clare, and a few years ago incurred the displeasure of the Stewards, who ordered him to be taken always to the outside, owing to his habit of upsetting other horses at the gate.

NOT A RACE, BUT A PROCESSION.

The three-year-old hurdle was not a race, but a procession, Toreador winning it on a tight rein by fifteen lengths from King Hermes. I always distrust the form in this three-year-old hurdle at Sandown, but this son of Golden Myth should surely win more races of the kind for Walter Nightingall, who will have something like twenty-five jumpers this winter.

Maxtoi was favourite for the Amateurs' Steeplechase, but Connolly's Folly jumped into the lead from him at the pay gate fence, and went on to give Mr. Deterding another perfect ride, winning by two lengths from Devonport. Connolly's Folly is still the same impeccable jumper that he has always been since he came here from Ireland.

The only meeting to-morrow is the jumping fixture at Nottingham, where SPEAR O' WAR, who missed Sandown, may take the Newark Handicap Steeplechase; EAGLE'S TAIL may win the Huddington Steeplechase, and TOREADOR, if he is sent, the Three-Year-Old Hurdle. In his absence, COUNTERMAND might be good enough.

GALTEE MORE.

FORM HORSES.

NOTTINGHAM.

1.30—Hilton.
2. 0—The Admiral.
2.30—General Advance (nap).
3. 0—Toy Cup.
3.30—Soccer.
4. 0—Prince Rowland.

Eclipse.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Westminster Gazette:—To-day's Best—Ballyrag. Double—Ballyrag and Toreador.

SPORTING GOSSIP.

Scottish Students and Boxer.

Tommy Milligan, the middle-weight champion, received a tremendous reception from the students when he paid a visit to St. Andrew's University on Saturday last. He was met at the station by the collegians, and was drawn through the town in a carriage to the University, where he gave the students an exhibition of boxing, the Marquis of Douglas and Clydesdale giving another display. It is announced by Milligan's manager that the middle-weight champion's fight with Kid Nitriam, to be decided at Queen's Hall, London, on 7th November, will be at 11st. 7lb., which is 1lb. over the middle-weight limit, so that Milligan's title will not be involved. Mr. McCreechan also stated that Milligan's first title bout will be with Alex Ireland at Waverley Market, Edinburgh, on Thursday, December 8th.

Donoghue's Cambridgeshire Mount.

The Press Association's Newmarket correspondent states that S. Donoghue has been engaged to ride M. J. Wittouck's filly, Kitty III., in the Cambridgeshire.

American Football Results.

The following are the results of the football games played in America on Saturday last:—Princeton 21, Cornell 10; Army 6, Yale 10; Dartmouth 30, Harvard 6; Pennsylvania State 9, Syracuse 6; Duke 6, Navy 32; Washington and Jefferson 14, Lafayette 0; Rutgers 6, New York U. 60; Carnegie Institute 7, Pittsburgh 23; Williams 0, Columbia 19; Wesleyan 20, Amherst 12; Pennsylvania 7, Chicago 13; Iowa 0, Minnesota 38; North Western 6, Illinois 7; Purdue 6, Wisconsin 12; Ohio State 0, Michigan 21; Notre Dame 19, Indiana 6; Stanford 20, Oregon Aggies 6.

Horses Hurt at Sandown Park.

After the Norbiton Handicap Hurdle Race at Sandown Park on Saturday Sir Ernest Wills's Fourposter, who broke down, and Mrs. Gregson's Border Ranger, who came to grief, had to be removed to the stables in the horse ambulance.

Cambridgeshire Gallops.

Some interesting gallops of Cambridgeshire candidates took place at Newmarket on Saturday morning, although rain began at an early hour and continued throughout the morning. On the Bury side—Charlier's Kitty III. had a nice pace gallop over seven furlongs. R. Day's Weissdorn, looking in the pink of condition, travelled one mile at three-quarters speed. W. C. Earl's Fohanaun, ridden by his trainer, went well in a nice pace gallop with Pantera (F. Winter) over seven furlongs. J. L. Jarvis's All's Blue was smartly into her stride in a good five furlongs gallop. On the Racecourse side—Boyd-Rochfort's Prester John, with Hunt the Slipper, covered six furlongs at three-quarters speed. Clout's Insight II. went in grand style in a fast stripped gallop over one mile with Masked Marvel and Sun God II. S. Darling's Esclarmonde had a good spin over one mile. F. Leader's Curialis, ridden by R. Perryman, had a good spin over seven furlongs.

Brighton Racecourse Stabling £15,000

A proposal is before the Brighton Corporation to spend a sum of £15,000 on the erection of stabling accommodation on the racecourse, and this has been favourably considered. The scheme includes the necessary rooms for stable lads and for other requirements.

J. Taylor's Lucky Escape.

During the course of the race for the Tees High-Weight Selling Handicap at Stockton on Saturday, Miss Cory Wright's Ayot slipped up and fell, throwing her jockey, J. Taylor. Luckily Taylor was unhurt. The stewards inquired into the matter, and came to the conclusion that it was a pure accident.

Indian Prince to Race in England.

Lamplighter, a three years old colt by Sunbright—Willinda, winner of the Rangemore Handicap at Derby and the Southwell Handicap at Nottingham, has been purchased on behalf of H.H. Maharajah the Gaekwar of Baroda. His Highness, who is at present on a visit to England, is well known in Indian sporting circles, but has not previously raced in England.

SANDOWN PARK MEETING.

CONFIRMATION'S EASY VICTORY.

1.30—CHERTSEY SELLING STEEPLECHASE of 200 sovs. 2 m.
Mr. J. Pendarves's ch. g. ROI ROUGE, by William Rufus—Koningin, a, 12-3 W. Payne 1
Major H. Lyons's HOLIDAY HALL, a, 12-3 L. Rees 2
Mr. A. C. Ioannou's POTHEEN, a, 12-3 W. Speck 3
Also ran—Soothing Glass (J. Crotty), Mile End (J. Hogan), Flushed (F. Gurney), Eureka II. (Owner). Off at 1.30. (Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. Mile End, 5 to 2 Holiday Hall, 4 to 1 ROI ROUGE, 6 to 1 each Potheen and Soothing Glass, 10 to 1 any other.
Won by a length and a half; eight lengths. Eureka II. was fourth and Soothing Glass last.
The winner was bought in for 200 guineas.

2.0—PIRBRIGHT SELLING HANDICAP HURDLE of 200 sovs. 2 m.
Mrs. E. Smyth's br. m. MAY EVE, by By George—Lady Eileen, a, 10-5 T. Griffith 1
Mr. E. Martin's BERRYBOY, 4, 10-12 G. Pellerin 2
Mr. J. Baylis's MAH-JONGG, 6, 12-4 W. Stott 3
Also ran—Pharoah (H. Hedges), Vic's Choice (W. Smyth), Solitary (L. Rees), Spartleton (S. Ingham), Playful (G. Duller), Smoke Screen (W. Payne), Grand Points (W. Parvin), Venetian Star (E. Foster), Drink-Less (Owner), Magenta (L. Nye). Off at 2.0. (Winner trained by H. Smyth.)
Betting—11 to 8 agst. Berryboy, 5 to 1 Playful, 6 to 1 Grand Points, 7 to 1 MAY EVE, 10 to 1 Solitary, 100 to 7 any other.
Won by six lengths; same. Playful was fourth and Grand Points last.
An objection to the winner for crossing was overruled.

2.30—CHOLMONDELEY HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 500 sovs. 3 m. 100 yds.
Mr. S. Cohen's b. g. CONFIRMATION, by Achtoi—Princess Pam, a, 11-4 M. Connors 1
Capt. F. B. Bibby's FASSAROE, a, 11-1 K. Piggott 2
Captain R. E. Sassoon's BALLYSTOCKART, a, 12-3 J. Hogan 3
Lord Glanely's Shaun Or, a, 12-7 C. Rhodes 0
Captain Lumsden's Foxtrot, a, 12-6 Lord Killeen 0
Mr. H. Deterding's Rathowen, a, 12-0 Owner 0
Mr. C. H. Horrell's Postino, a, 11-11 J. Hamey 0
Mr. H. Gordon Selfridge's Misconduct, a, 11-11 W. Parvin 0
Mr. D. Blair's Paxford, 6, 11-8 F. Brookes 0
Mr. H. Liddell's Santabel, a, 11-6 J. Whelehan 0
Mr. J. G. Thomson's Herbert's Choice, 6, 11-4 F. Gurney 0
Sir E. Wills's Animated, a, 10-12 F. Sergeant 0
Major A. Browne's Mutinous, a, 10-12 A. Escott 0
Off at 2.35. (Winner trained by Woodland.)
Betting—4 to 1 agst. Ballystockart, 5 to 1 each CONFIRMATION and Mutinous, 7 to 1 Misconduct, 8 to 1 Fassaroe, 10 to 1 each Shaun Or and Foxtrot, 100 to 8 Santabel, 100 to 6 any other.
Fassaroe settled down from Rathowen, Animated, Confirmation, Postino, and Ballystockart. At the water the first time round these were all that were left standing. At the water the second time Rathowen and Confirmation joined Fassaroe, with Ballystockart next. Rathowen fell two fences from home, and Confirmation, heading Fassaroe on the flat, won by four lengths; half a length between second and third. Postino was the only other to finish.

3.0—NORBITON HANDICAP HURDLE of 400 sovs. 2 m.
Mr. C. K. Taylor's b. g. KNIGHT BACHELOR, by Bachelor's Double—Clare, 5, 10-4 T. Carey 1
Lord Queenborough's KEPI AMARANTE, 4, 10-11 J. Hogan 2
Mrs. H. M. Hollins's BLARIS, 6, 12-7 G. Duller 3
Also ran—Aruntius (F. Brookes), Golden Brick (W. Speck), Border Ranger (A. Robson), Toy Bell (G. Hardy), The Miller (D. Dick), Melrush (G. Pellerin), Blue Cover (M. Phelan), Four-Poster (F. Sergeant), Gold Willow (C. Rhodes), Flown Away (F. Stokes). Off 3.7. (Winner trained by Coulthwaite.)
Betting—13 to 8 agst. Golden Brick, 4 to 1 Blaris, 6 to 1 each Kepi Amarante and Melrush, 100 to 14 Gold Willow, 100 to 7 KNIGHT BACHELOR or any other.
Won by a head; four lengths. Flown Away was fourth, and The Miller last.

3.30—THREE-YEAR-OLD HURDLE of 200 sovs. 1 m. 5½ f.
Mr. E. L. Short's ch. c. TOREADOR, by Golden Myth—Elfin Tor, 10-7 W. Speck 1
Mr. E. Martin's KING HERMES, 10-7 G. Pellerin 2
Mr. D. L. Wilson's NO HUMBUG, 10-7 W. Stott 3
Also ran—Betting Tax (S. Ingham), Egremont (R. Balding), Skamandros (E. Doyle), Confrere (A. Smyth), Incitatus (W. Smyth), Alessandro (I. Isaacs), Beau de Ghent (L. Rees), Dunboyne (W. Payne), Green Coral (F. Brookes), Mountain Slip (F. Fish), Grey Marten (J. Hogan), Pleasina (L. Butchers), Yarlington (A. Escott), Boneblack (D. Dick). Off 3.37. (Winner trained by W. Nightingall.)
Betting—7 to 4 agst. TOREADOR, 3 to 1 Betting Tax, 7 to 2 King Hermes, 10 to 1 Grey Marten, 100 to 7 any other.
Won by fifteen lengths; a head. Skamandros was fourth, and Betting Tax last.

4.0—AMATEUR RIDERS HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 200 sovs. 2 m.
Mr. H. Deterding's b. g. CONNOLLY'S FOLLY, by Marforio—Miss Jenkins, a, 12-1 Owner 1
Capt. C. B. Petre's DEVONPORT, a, 10-4 Capt. C. Davy 2
Mr. M. D. Blair's BALLYHANWOOD, 6, 10-10 S. Everard 3
Also ran—Maxtoi (Mr. F. Sclater), Aisle (Mr. H. Misa), East Africa (Mr. R. Bennett). Off 4.2. (Winner trained by R. Payne.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. Maxtoi, 3 to 1 CONNOLLY'S FOLLY, 7 to 2 Aisle, 8 to 1 any other.
Won by two lengths; four lengths. Maxtoi was fourth, and Aisle last.

THIS WEEK'S RACING FIXTURES.

IRELAND.
Saturday—Leopardstown.

ENGLAND.
Monday and Tuesday—Nottingham.
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday—Newmarket.
Wednesday and Thursday—Wetherby.
Thursday and Friday—Worcester.
Saturday—Alexandra Park.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

NEWMARKET MEETING.
Moulton Stakes—Tympanum.
Criterion Nursery Handicap and Richmond Nursery Handicap—Rosiera.
Criterion Nursery Handicap—The Original.

LINCOLN MEETING.
Lincoln Autumn Handicap—Nonchalant, Linkman.
Yarborough Selling Handicap—Linkman.

MISCELLANEOUS.
Cotswold 'Chase, Cheltenham—Corney Grain.
Liverpool Autumn Foal Stakes—Acumen.
Apethorpe Nursery Handicap, Leicester—Syke.
Wilford 'Chase, Nottingham—My Hobby.
Trent H'cap 'Chase, Nottingham—Dilly's First.
Barton Nursery H'cap, Birmingham—Basuto.
Sutton H'cap, Birmingham—Bonny Boy II.
Birmingham Selling H'cap—Linkman.
Forest Selling H'cap, Windsor—Gleaned.
Windsor engagement—Whyte Warbler.
Letcomb Selling Nursery Handicap, Newbury—Gleaned and Sister's Boy.
Cowthorpe Hurdle, Wetherby—Take Notice.
All engagements—Buchyleen.
All engagements in Sir Hedworth Meux's name—Sylvia Hackett colt (2 yrs.).

FRENCH RACING.

PARIS, Sunday.

The race for the Prix du Conseil Municipal of 250,000 frs., over a course of 2,400 metres, which was run at Longchamps this afternoon, resulted as follows:—
CERULEA C. Bonillon 1
RAMONEUR II. F. Herve 2
INVERSHIN C. Elliott 3
Also ran—Felton, Le Bonie, Conciliator, Juveilon, Gold Tip, Hoggar II., Mascot, Licteur, Kitty, Tohin, Take Off, Petit Frere, Iberia, Bellecour, Cosquillos a Pescaro, La Desirade, Accalmie, Dark Guy, Karooun, and Dark Story.
Won by half a length; four lengths separated second and third.
Betting—10 fr. stake: CERULEA, 350 frs., 92.50 frs. for a place; Ramoneur, 65.50 frs.; Invershin, 24 frs. 5 fr. stake: Cerulea, 163.50 frs., for a place, 40 frs.; Ramoneur, 26 frs.; Invershin, 11.50 frs.
S. Donoghue rode Conciliator.

HUNTING.

TIPPERARY HOUNDS.—Will meet: October—Monday, 24th; Fethard; Tuesday, 25th, Ballingarry Village; Thursday, 27th, Clonmel (The Mall); Saturday, 29th, Cashel; Monday, 31st, Killenaule. November—Tuesday, 1st, Cahir; Thursday, 3rd, Lismolin. At 11 o'clock.

COUNTY LIMERICK HOUNDS.—October—Monday, 31st, Roxborough. November—Wednesday, 2nd, Croom; Friday, 4th, Kilmallock; Monday, 7th, Patrickswell; Wednesday, 9th, Rathkeale; Friday, 11th, Ballingarry; Monday, 14th, Grange; Wednesday, 16th, Greeve's Cross; Friday, 18th, Kilballyowen; Monday, 21st, Kilpeacon Cross; Wednesday, 23rd, Ballingarry; Friday, 25th, Garryfine. At 10.45 a.m.

BRAY HARRIERS.—October—Saturday, 29th, Bray (opening meet). November—Wednesday, 2nd, Newtownmountkennedy; Saturday, 5th, Cabinteely; Wednesday, 9th, Kilcool; Saturday, 12th, Old Connaught; Wednesday, 16th, Calary; Saturday, 19th, Greystones; Wednesday, 23rd, Roundwood; Saturday, 26th, Bray; Wednesday, 30th, Newtownmountkennedy. At 2 p.m. Saturdays; Wednesdays, 1.30 p.m.

HUNTING.—For reports from the various packs and List of Appointments, read the *Irish Field*. Published every Saturday, price 2d. On sale at all Newsagents'.—(Advt.)

Cuthbert v. Mascart.

A twelve-round contest in Paris on Saturday went to Cuthbert on points. The Frenchman had all the best of the early round, but Cuthbert finished well and fully earned the verdict.

NOTTINGHAM TO-DAY: PROBABLE RUNNERS AND BETTING.

SELECTIONS.
Clifton Selling—Ballyrag.
Welbeck Selling—Icarus.
Newark Handicap—General Advance.
Ruddington Steeplechase—How Nice.
Three-Year-Old Hurdle—Soccer.*
Wilford Steeplechase—Jehu.

DOUBLE—Soccer and General Advance.

1.30—CLIFTON SELLING HURDLE RACE of 150 sovs. Winner to be sold for £50. Second receives 5 sovs. 2 m. Age st. lb.
SAFE IN BED (Mr. J. Baylis) Hackett a 12 5
PLAYFUL (Mr. Douglas Clarke) Poole a 12 5
BALLYRAG (Mr. J. Coltman) Butchers a 12 5
HILTON (Mr. W. Parrish) H. Harrison 5 12 5
WATERFORD GLASS II. (Mrs. G. Pease) Pease a 12 5
LONGNIDDRY LASS (Mr. J. Pendarves) Pendarves a 12 5
LANGSIDE (Mr. J. Reay) T. Webb a 12 5
TUSCAN (Mr. R. G. Shaw) Pendarves a 12 5
DOWSER (Mr. R. G. Shaw) Pendarves a 12 5
SANCROFT (Mr. J. Graeme Thomson) Woodland a 12 5
LI-KWANG (Mr. R. Wadsley) Barthropp 6 12 5
MAGIC BLUE (Mr. W. R. West) Hall 6 12 5
COUNT SPAGHETTI (Mr. G. Whitelaw) Whitelaw 5 12 5
PARA MAGIC (Mrs. Greenslade) Private 5 12 1
SIMON MAGUS (Mrs. Roberts) Roberts 5 12 1
FAIRIELIKE FUR (Mrs. Tabor) Tabor 5 10 9

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
010	SAFE IN BED ... Barelett	7/1
431	BALLYRAG ... Speck	2/1
123	HILTON ... Moloney	11/4
100	WATERFORD GLASS ... Mr. Gubbins	10/1
441	LONGNIDDRY LASS ... W. Payne	5/1
102	LONGSIDE ... Fawcett	8/1
312	LI-KWANG ... Rayson	6/1
310	MAGIC BLUE ... Mr. West	10/1
012	COUNT SPAGHETTI ... D. Dick	9/2
021	DOWSER ... Mr. Shaw	8/1
	SIMON MAGUS ... D. Cheshire	10/1
30	FAIRIELIKE FUR ... Whelehan	10/1

2.0—WELBECK SELLING HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 200 sovs. Winner to be sold for £50. Second receives 10 sovs. 2 m. Age st. lb.
SOLITARY (Mr. D. M. Gant) P. Lowe 5 12 7
FALSE REPORT (7lb. ex.) (Mr. C. Williams) D. Harrison a 12 4
MIZZEN MAST (7lb. ex.) (Lady Nelson) Hastings a 12 0
CLARKIA (Mr. Ransom) Ransom a 12 0
SPIGOT LODGE (Mr. E. Brock) G. Bennett 6 11 11
COUNT SPAGHETTI (Mr. G. S. Whitelaw) Whitelaw 5 11 7
SAFE IN BED (Mr. J. Baylis) T. Leader a 11 7
CALL THE GAME (Mr. H. J. Brueton) Rennison a 11 5
MORNING SUN (Ld. Queenborough) G. Bennett 6 11 5
MAH-JONGG (Mr. J. Baylis) Hackett 6 11 4
FRONT LINE (Mrs. G. Campbell) Mosley a 11 4
VICAR LANE (Ld. Queenborough) G. Bennett 4 11 4
THE ADMIRAL (Mr. H. R. Armitage) Coulthwaite 5 11 4
INDOUSTAN (Mr. Fred Armstrong) F. Armstrong 5 11 4
ROSANOFF (Mr. R. J. B. Gubbins) Hall 6 11 2
ICARUS (Mr. G. Pease) Pease a 11 2
WANG (Mr. W. H. Thorpe) R. Payne 5 11 2
LANGSIDE (Mr. J. Reay) T. Webb a 11 1
STONETTE (Mr. H. J. Brueton) Rennison 5 10 13
HAT TRICK (Mr. F. Sharp) Rimell 6 10 10
EAGLE'S CORRIE (Mr. H. Hamshaw) J. Lyall 4 10 9
BATTLE ARRAY (Mr. J. Moseby) Beeby 5 10 9
POLYPHONIA (Mr. H. Smyth) H. Smyth 4 10 7
THRACIAN (Mr. E. Gavin) Saxby a 10 7
MUSSOLINI (Mr. T. Hartigan) Anthony 6 10 4
LAVERSTOKE (Mr. H. Wells) Read a 10 1
EXPERT (Mrs. J. C. Russell) T. Leader 4 10 0
NINO (Mr. H. Beeby) Beeby 6 10 0
CONCRETE (Mr. T. F. Hepper) Hepper 5 10 0
GARRETT (Mr. R. Parker) Parker 5 10 0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
221	FALSE REPORT ... T. Duggan	4/1
021	ICARUS ... Mr. Gubbins	8/1
012	COUNT SPAGHETTI ... D. Dick	4/1
330	CLARKIA ... Mr. Ransom	10/1
010	SAFE IN BED ... Barelett	10/1
300	CALL THE GAME ... G. Goswell	10/1
100	SPIGOT LODGE ... J. Hogan	7/2
030	FRONT LINE ... C. King	100/8
212	THE ADMIRAL ... T. Carey	9/2
0	INDOUSTAN ... Escott	10/1
140	WANG ... W. Gurney	100/8
102	LANGSIDE ... Fawcett	7/1
100	STONETTE ... F. Hudson	100/8
100	EAGLE'S CORRIE ... Sully	100/8
301	POLYPHONIA ... Griffiths	6/1
201	EXPERT ... T. Leader	3/1
230	MUSSOLINI ... D. Williams	10/1
C00	LAVERSTOKE ... V. Piggott	100/8

2.30—NEWARK HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 300 sovs. Second receives 30 sovs. and third 15 sovs. 2 m. Age st. lb.
GENERAL ADVANCE (Maj. A. Huntington) Withington a 12 7
SUTTON WICK (Mr. H. Harrison) H. Harrison a 12 1
MAY KING (Lt.-Col. S. Green) McDougal a 11 11
GANZEY (Mr. C. Williams) D. Harrison a 11 9
SPEAR O' WAR (Lord Queenborough) G. Bennett 6 11 6
KNIGHT OF THE WILDERNESS (Mr. W. P. Draper) Whitaker a 11 6
MASTER BILLIE (Mr. W. Parsonage) Whitaker a 11 2
ARDOON'S PRIDE (Mr. E. A. Stanley) Hastings a 11 0
AGINCOURT (Mr. J. G. Thomson) Woodland a 10 11
MAXIMUS (Mr. W. G. Clarke) Goby a 10 9
ADAMSTOI (Mr. H. Deterding) R. Payne a 10 7
GOLD FLARE (Mr. J. M. Woodville) Fergusson a 10 6
BRIDGE OF ATHLONE (Maj. J. T. North) F. A. Brown 5 10 6
BALLYCAPPLE (Mr. G. T. Unwin) Smallwood a 10 6

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
322	GENERAL ADVANCE ... T. Leader	5/2
000	SUTTON WICK ... Moloney	7/1
401	MAY KING ... McNeill	9/2
122	GANZEY ... Duggan	4/1
112	SPEAR O' WAR ... J. Hogan	6/1
200	MASTER BILLIE ... F. Gurney	10/1
200	AGINCOURT ... M. Connors	5/1
400	MAXIMUS ... F. Brookes	8/1
031	SPINNEY HILL ... Hamey	10/1
220	EVANSWAVE ... D. Williams	10/1
230	GOLD FLARE ... J. Mason	10/1
312	BRIDGE OF ATHLONE ... Mr. S. Dennis	10/1
200	BALLYCAPPLE ... Sully	10/1

3.0—RUDDINGTON HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 150 sovs. Second receives 30 sovs. and third 10 sovs. 3 m. and a few yds. Age st. lb.
HOW NICE (Mr. T. Rimell) Rimell a 12 7
MITCHELLS (Capt. R. Sassoon) Martin a 12 4
DARE ALL (Mr. C. Smith-Ryland) R. Payne a 12 3
HAWKER (Capt. A. Grant) W. Payne a 12 0
EAGLE'S TAIL (Mr. J. A. Fairhurst) Hastings a 11 8
MISCONDUCT (Mr. H. G. Selfridge) Powell a 11 6
FLEET PRINCE (Mr. G. S. Whitelaw) Whitelaw a 11 3
LEE BRIDGE (Mr. R. Shaw) Withington a 11 3
POP AHEAD (Mr. H. Fowler) S. Bennet a 11 2
THE GOSLING (Lord Grimthorpe) Bazley a 11 1
RATHLUCK (Lord Londesborough) H. A. Brown a 11 0
HIS LUCK (Mrs. E. Kellett) Pease a 11 0
SANTABEL (Mr. H. Liddell) Woodland a 11 0
TOY CUP (Maj. H. Wernher) Hastings 6 11 0
CHICOT (Mr. G. T. Unwin) Smallwood a 10 12
MONA BRIDGE (Mr. K. Milnes) Milnes a 10 9
MAXFLI (Maj. A. W. Huntington) Withington 5 10 7
COURT SCANDAL II. (Mr. C. Harvey) R. Payne a 10 3
NERO IV. (Mrs. K. Mackay) M. Jackson a 10 3
SWIFT MAIDEN (Mr. M. Sadler) W. Gale 6 10 0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
131	DARE ALL ... F. Gurney	7/2
120	HOW NICE ... Speck	6/1
000	FLEET PRINCE ... Pulford	10/1
003	POP AHEAD ... T. James	8/1
100	THE GOSLING ... E. Doyle	6/1
110	RATHLUCK ... Mr. H. Brown	5/2
003	TOY CUP ... L. Rees	4/1
000	CHICOT ... Sully	10/1
110	MONA BRIDGE ... E. Foster	5/1
110	NERO IV. ... G. Goswell	10/1
122	SWIFT MAIDEN ... Phelan	10/1

3.30—THREE-YEAR-OLD HURDLE RACE of 150 sovs. For three-year-olds only. Second receives 20 sovs. 1½ m. st. lb.
INDIAN PRINCE (Mr. A. Waldron) Private 11 3
COUNTERMAND (Mr. W. B. Duckworth) W. Payne 11 0
TROUTWAL (Mr. W. Philip) Philip 11 0
JACK IN THE BOX (Mr. J. Aitken) Aitken 10 7
ST. MICHAEL'S MOUNT (Mr. H. Armitage) Coulthwaite 10 7
EGREMONT (Mr. J. S. Austen) Martin 10 7
WELL BOUND (Mrs. D'Arcy Baker) Johnson 10 7
GAWSWORTH (Mr. H. Beckett) Bazley 10 7
MARTEN MELODY (Mr. S. Bennet) S. Bennet 10 7
POLANGE (Mr. S. Bennet) S. Bennet 10 7
ROYDS HALL (Mr. L. Brook) Green 10 7
SMILE (Mr. H. A. Brown) H. A. Brown 10 7
EASTER GIFT (Mrs. A. Cornelius) Larkin 10 7
MONK'S DREAM (Mr. J. Davis) J. Scott 10 7
SHOOTERS HILL (Mr. S. Dennis) Private 10 7
TRANSGRESSOR (Mrs. L. Drage) Butchers 10 7
FOURFOOTED (Mr. J. F. Hackett) Hackett 10 7
SHREWD KING (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) F. Hartigan 10 7
SOULKA (Mrs. H. Hollins) H. Harrison 10 7
BARLICK (Sir D. Horsfall) W. Griggs 10 7
TRECARNE (Mr. W. F. Larkin) Larkin 10 7
ROLLANBUTTA (Mr. A. D. McAlpine) H. Harrison 10 7
VISION (Mr. E. de Mestre) De Mestre 10 7
BERKELEY ARMS (Mr. J. Norris) Pease 10 7
MOUNTAIN SLIP (Mr. F. C. Parker) T. Leader 10 7
FATHALLAH (Lord Queenborough) G. Bennett 10 7
GREY MARTEN (Lord Queenborough) G. Bennett 10 7
PLEASINA (Mr. C. Ringwood) Ringwood 10 7
DELHI (Mr. J. D. Robertson) Rimell 10 7
GIOVANNI (Mr. J. A. de Rothschild) Pratt 10 7
ACROBAT (Mr. J. A. de Rothschild) Pratt 10 7
SOCCER (Mr. W. H. Savill) F. Hartigan 10 7
TOREADOR (Mr. E. Short) W. Nightingall 10 7
LOWBERRY (Mrs. Smith) J. Lyall 10 7
NEWSTEAD (Mr. C. Taylor) D. Taylor 10 7
DARBOY (Mr. D. Taylor) D. Taylor 10 7
HEREWITH (Mr. P. Whitaker) Whitaker 10 7
HIGH AND LOW (Mrs. G. S. Whitelaw) Whitelaw 10 7
BONEBLACK (Mrs. G. S. Whitelaw) Whitelaw 10 7
TE'ORAN (Mr. H. T. Young) H. Young 10 7

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
1	TOREADOR ... Speck	11/8
01	TROUTWAL ... Robson	8/1
111	BROWN JACK ... L. Rees	4/1
1	INDIAN PRINCE ... Sully	8/1
132	COUNTERMAND ... W. Payne	7/1
	MARTEN MELODY ... T. James	100/8
	SHOW KING ... E. Doyle	100/8
03	ROLLANBUTTA ... Moloney	10/1
2	SOCCER ... Duller	5/2
	DARBOY ... A. Vasey	100/8
0	HIGH AND LOW ... D. Dick	7/1
	TE'ORAN ... Sergeant	100/8
00	DELHI ... H. Cheshire	10/1

4.0—WILFORD STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. Second receives 10 sovs., and third 5 sovs. Age st. lb.
NINO (Mr. H. Beeby) Beeby 6 11 11
KILMOON (Maj. R. Fenwick-Palmer) F. Palmer a 11 11
MY HOBBY (Sir F. Price) Gilbert a 11 11
ORANGE PLUME (Mr. H. Dyke Dennis) P. Dennis 5 11 8
BERTIE BROOKS (Mr. W. B. Duckworth) W. Payne 5 11 8
SHAKESPEARE (Mr. G. T. Unwin) Bazley 5 11 8
REDMAYNE (Lt.-Col. S. J. Green) McDougal 5 11 5
K.C.B. (Mr. V. Hugh Smith) Private 5 11 5
TIDEWAY (Mr. J. R. Porter) Coldicott 5 11 5
PRINCE ROWLAND (Capt. F. Brian Bibby) Withington 6 11 1
STRONG ONE (Mr. F. Ambrose Clark) Hastings 6 11 1
CRAWLER (Capt. G. W. L. Meredith) Meredith 6 11 1
STRAW HILL (Mr. K. W. Milnes) Milnes 6 11 1
BEST HOME (Mr. G. Elliott) Sutcliffe 6 11 1
PRUDENT PAT (Wing-Cdr. W. R. Read) Whitaker 6 11 1
WHITE HEATHER (Mr. G. P. Sanday) Sanday a 11 1
LUTOI (Capt. E. J. L. Speed) M. Jackson 6 11 1
KIND KNIGHT (Mr. E. Stokes) Private a 11 1
BIGGIN HILL (Mrs. L. Tate) McDougal 6 11 1
BROKEN ROAD (Mr. Doyle) Bletsoe 6 11 1
BURNT HEATHER (Mr. J. Davis) J. Scott 6 11 1
TIMAR (Mr. A. Brendon) Woodland 4 11 0
JEHU (Capt. E. Elgee) F. Hartigan 4 11 0
LARGIE (Ld. Queenborough) G. Bennett 4 10 9
MARY COURT (Mr. G. S. L. Whitelaw) Whitelaw 4 10 9
TENNYSON (Mr. D. Crossman) Pope 4 10 0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
000	NINO ... W. O'Neill	10/1
121	ORANGE PLUME ... Speck	4/1
004	BEST HOME ... Mr. Elliott	10/1
004	BERTIE BROOKS ... W. Payne	6/1
022	PRINCE ROWLAND ... T. Leader	6/4
000	STRONG ONE ... D. Williams	7/1
003	BROKEN ROAD ... Mr. P. Doyle	10/1
200	LUTOI ... E. Doyle	8/1
112	TIMAR ... M. Connors	3/1

STOCKTON MEETING.

CARAMOND TAKES THE CHIEF EVENT.

1.45—CLEVELAND SELLING NURSERY H'CAP PLATE of 150 sovs. 5 f.
Mr. W. T. Balmforth's b. c. TUFFAN, by Valens—Lilly Willy, 7-7 J. Caldwell 1
Mrs. M. O'Brien's FLYING SIRRAH, 7-5 Dickenfield 2
Mrs. D. Gardner's ADMIRABLE, 7-6 F. Field 3
Also ran:—Lady Southampton filly (S. Wragg), Greta, Field (H. Graves), Swish (J. Taylor), White Ensign (G. Hulme), Glebe (J. Kirby), Saturn Orb (T. Rimell), Rufforth (W. Stephenson). Off 1.48. (Winner trained by Pollock.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. Admirable, 5 to 1 Rufforth, 6 to 1 each TUFFAN and Flying Sirrah, 7 to 1 Lady Southampton, 100 to 7 any other.
Won by two lengths; half a length. Swish was fourth and White Ensign last.
There was no bid for the winner.

2.15—BLYTHEHOLME NURSERY H'CAP PLATE of 250 sovs. 7 f.
Mr. G. Lambton's br. g. FERSEN, by Stedfast—Young Delight, 7-10 T. Weston 1
Sir T. Putnam's KITTIWYNK, 7-8 J. Caldwell 2
Mr. C. Green's TYRANNESS COLT, 8-2 C. Ray 3
Also ran:—Laird (H. Wragg), Moonstruck (J. Taylor). Off 2.16. (Winner trained by Frank Butters.)
Betting—Evens FERSEN, 3 to 1 agst. Kittiwynk, 4 to 1 Moonstruck, 8 to 1 Tyranness colt, 100 to 7 Laird.
Won by a short head; three lengths. Moonstruck was fourth and Laird last.

2.45—TEES HIGH-WEIGHT SELLING H'CAP PLATE of 150 sovs. 1 m.
Captain E. Elgee's br. f. FLAMING ROSE, by Flamboyant—Rosendael, 3, 7-5 A. Wragg 1
Lt.-Colonel R. Crawford's THEOLOGY, 6, 9-0 R. Graves 2
Mr. F. J. Benson's SAMOVAR II., 4, 7-7 J. Caldwell 3
Also ran:—Ayot (J. Taylor), Rafnam (H. Stone), Willow Pattern (J. Thwaites), Bridgeford (C. Parker), Affectation (C. Brown), Argiea (D. Morris), Spale (S. Wragg). Off 2.47. (Winner trained by F. Hartigan.)
Betting—5 to 2 agst. Theology, 7 to 2 FLAMING ROSE, 5 to 1 Spale, 7 to 1 Rafnam, 8 to 1 Samovar II., 100 to 7 any other.
Won by a length and a half; two lengths. Rafnam was fourth and Bridgeford last.
The winner was sold to Mr. T. E. Parrington for 150 guineas.

3.15—STOCKTON AUTUMN HANDICAP, a plate of 500 sovs. 1½ m.
Mrs. D. Gardner's b. g. CARAMOND, by Loch Lomond—Lady Caramel, 4, 8-2 C. Ray 1
Lord Lascelles's ADEL, 4, 7-12 W. Alford 2
Mr. H. C. Miller's REPERTOIRE, 5, 7-7 K. Robertson 3
Mrs. R. Don's Sosie, a, 9-0 J. Caldwell 0
Lord Astor's Poet, 4, 8-12 H. Jelliss 0
Colonel W. F. Story's Nottingham Pet, 5, 8-4 H. Wragg 0
Mr. A. Boazman's Bonnie Kelso, 5, 7-13 J. Thwaites 0
Off 3.16. (Winner trained by O'Sullivan.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. CARAMOND, 5 to 2 Poet, 9 to 2 Repertoire, 6 to 1 Nottingham Pet, 8 to 1 Adel, 100 to 7 any other.
Nottingham Pet went to the front, followed by Adel, Repertoire, Sosie and Caramond, with Bonnie Kelso last. At half-way Poet became second in front of Adel and Sosie. Soon after reaching the straight Nottingham Pet weakened, and with Poet also giving ground Adel went into the lead. Inside the distance, however, Caramond came through on the rails, and won by one length; three lengths separated second and third. Nottingham Pet was fourth, Poet fifth, Sosie sixth, and Bonnie Kelso always last.

3.45—FACEBY PLATE of 200 sovs. 6 f.
Lord Zetland's b. c. POMONALIS, by Pomme de Terre—Amore, 8-8 C. Elliott 1
Sir R. Liddell's PHANTOM JIM, 8-5 J. Taylor 2
Lord Londonderry's ESLA, 8-5 H. Graves 3
Also ran:—Saxpence (H. Wragg), Quel Esprit (C. Ray). Off 3.46. (Winner trained by Lord Dundas.)
Betting—9 to 4 each agst. POMONALIS and Esla, 100 to 30 Saxpence, 5 to 1 Phantom Jim, 100 to 6 Quel Esprit.
Won by three-quarters of a length; three lengths. Saxpence was fourth.

4.15—IRONOPOLIS APPRENTICE PLATE of 200 sovs. 1¼ m.
Capt. C. F. Elsey's br. f. PARK MILL, by Coriander—Lady Lucy, 4, 8-5 J. Field 1
Mrs. T. Galletly's LADY ELOI, 3, 6-10 Rimell 2
Mr. A. Boazman's FAIZA, 3, 6-10 W. Prince 3
Also ran:—Grey Squirrel (L. Brown), Laytham Whin (F. Brooks), Sublime Fire (——). Off 4.17. (Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—6 to 4 agst. PARK MILL, 7 to 2 each Laytham Whin and Faiza, 9 to 2 Lady Eloi, 6 to 1 Grey Squirrel, 20 to 1 Sublime Fire.
Won by four lengths; one length. Sublime Fire was fourth and Grey Squirrel last.

SOUTHWELL MEETING.

APOSTASY'S CANTER.

2.0—EDINGLEY HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. 2 m.
Mr. W. Perrin's br. g. START AGAIN, by Thististon—Hors de Combat, a, 12-0 R. Lyall 1
Lord Allendale's HORNET'S PRIDE, a, 12-7 R. Gordon 2
Squad-Ldr. C. A. Ridley's GLENNAN, a, 10-0 Wilkinson 3
Also ran:—Wild Times (Owner), Roman Hackle (G. Wilson). Off 2.2. (Winner trained by Cockton.)
Betting—2 to 1 each agst. START AGAIN and Wild Times, 3 to 1 each Roman Hackle and Hornet's Pride, 10 to 1 Glennan.
Won by fifteen lengths; four lengths.

2.30—BLIDWORTH SELLING HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of £100. 2 m.
Major G. M. Mundy's br. c. G.B., by His Majesty—Haulbowline, a, 11-2 Mr. H. Brown 1
Mr. J. Cockton's GRAND DUKE II., a, 11-11 Mr. Clarke 2
Mr. A. T. Reader's GLENAPP, a, 10-0 E. Sully 3
Also ran:—Southpool (Livesey), Vocalion (R. Lyall), Tranga (McNeill). Off 2.30. (Winner trained by H. Brown.)
Betting—13 to 8 on G.B., 5 to 1 each agst. Southpool and Vocalion, 8 to 1 Grand Duke II., 100 to 8 any other.
Won by eight lengths; six lengths.

3.0—OLLERTON HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of £100. 3 m.
Mr. H. T. Hincks's APOSTASY, 6, 10-0 Mr. Barry 1
Mr. F. W. Laverack's LILIWAD, a, 10-0 J. Regan 2
Mr. M. Vasey's HEREFORD LAD, a, 12-7 A. Vasey 3
Also ran:—Court Scandal II. (W. Gurney), Ptolemais (Mr. Bellamy), Bachelor's Lady (W. O'Neill). Off 3.1. (Winner trained by T. Leader.)
Betting—5 to 4 agst. Court Scandal II., 9 to 4 Hereford Lad, 5 to 1 each APOSTASY and Ptolemais, 10 to 1 any other.
Won by thirty lengths; six lengths.

3.30—HOCKERTON SELLING HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of £100. 2 m.
Mr. F. E. S. Graves's WHITE CHINA, by White Knight—Couchou III., a, 10-0 Hodgkinson 1
Mrs. F. C. Smith's ESSANDAR, 4, 11-12 R. Lyall 2
Mr. D. McKechnie's LITTLE SNOOKS, 6, 10-9 E. Davey 3
Also ran:—Russian Collar (E. Sully), Ruhr (A. Vasey), Regicles (W. Gurney), Jacksdale (G. Parker), Tragacanth (M. Barry), Garrett (F. Saunders). Off 3.32. (Winner trained by Groves.)
Betting—3 to 1 agst. Regicles, 7 to 2 Little Snooks, 5 to 1 Essandar, 7 to 1 Ruhr, 8 to 1 each Russian Collar and Garrett, 100 to 8 each WHITE CHINA or any other.
Won by three lengths; eight lengths.

4.0—LOWDHAM HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of £100. 2 m.
Lady Palmer's b. g. ILSTON MUTE, by Ilston—Mute, a, 11-1 G. Goswell 1
Mr. W. G. Mason's COLINDALE, a, 10-5 E. Davey 2
Mr. J. Moseby's BATTLE ARRAY, 5, 10-0 Mr. Barry 3
Also ran:—Piltdown (A. Vasey), Lucky Son (F. Taylor), Gryphon (J. Moloney). Off 4.2. (Winner trained by F. Palmer.)
Betting—6 to 4 agst. ILSTON MUTE, 5 to 2 Piltdown, 4 to 1 Gryphon, 8 to 1 Lucky Son, 100 to 8 any other.
Won by three lengths; five lengths.

4.30—FARNSFIELD HURDLE RACE of £100. 2 m.
Mr. F. W. Keen's PATRON SAINT, 4, 12-7 J. Moloney 1
Mr. G. A. Burton's CHIMPANZEE, 6, 12-0 T. Sheridan 2
Mr. J. R. Gray's THE DRUCE MACHINE, 4, 11-8 W. Gurney 3
Also ran:—April Fool (Wilkinson), Irish Bloom (Owner), Loch Broom (G. Goswell), Somercotes (T. Leader), Binks (A. Vasey). Off 4.30. (Winner trained by H. Harrison.)
Betting—6 to 4 on PATRON SAINT, 2 to 1 agst. Somercotes, 10 to 1 Binks, 100 to 8 any other.
Won by ten lengths; one length.

ASSOCIATION.

FREE STATE XI ROUTED AT SWANSEA.

NEED FOR SPEEDING UP DUBLIN "SOCCER."

WELSH LEAGUE ... 5 goals
FREE STATE LEAGUE ... 1 goal

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.
SWANSEA, Saturday Night.

The Irish Free State League XI. was beaten at The Vetch Field here this evening. Perhaps it would be more correct to state that our men were routed. The margin against them was four goals, and it could have been a bigger one.

"Soccer" football is a faster game than it was in the old days—say, when Bohemians, Freebooters, Shelbourne and Richmond Rovers, Tritonville and others of our city teams could hold their own with the best of the Army elevens. At the close of the match here one of the victorious team remarked to a Free Stater: "Evidently the Welsh League is improving." It certainly was the finest football which any Welsh combination has played against our teams in the series which was inaugurated at Dalymount Park in 1924, and, taking a line through the match to-day and that which was played on the Dublin ground last year, when the visitors won by two goals to one, the assumption of the Welshman was justified.

SPEED THE DOMINANT FACTOR.

This Welsh League team was the speediest which our players have come up against, and I left the ground convinced that Free State football requires to be speeded up, and divested of its trimmings. As played half-a-score years ago our Soccer, attractive and effective (to an extent) though it was, has no place in the scheme of present-day first-class football. I say "has no place," for the old methods are those still favoured by the best of our teams. They are antiquated, will have to be scrapped for good, and the game developed more in accordance with modern ideas and methods.

I watched the match which was played on this ground in 1926—it was the third between the Leagues—and which resulted in a draw of two goals each. The conditions were then appalling, and they were little more favourable now. Very heavy rain through the night and morning flooded the outlying districts, and the playing ground was sodden and slippery, while the outlook in the mining valleys, from which the bulk of the Soccer crowds flock to Swansea on the occasions of big matches, was so bad that these hardy enthusiasts decided to remain in their homes, with the result that the enclosure could easily have accommodated many thousands more. The conditions were, indeed, depressing, though not so much so as for the 1926 game. Then it was impossible to get a footing in the slush, whereas to-day the football was played in much more favourable circumstances in that respect.

PASSENGERS IN FREE STATE TEAM.

It was quite evident after the first quarter of an hour that the Welshmen had the measure, and the full measure, of our lads. They were faster on the ball, they controlled it better; they hit it ever so much harder, and, I thought, they secured a firmer foothold. That, plus the fact that the Free State team carried more than one "passenger," was not encouraging to the side thus early. Scarcely five minutes had passed when Clarke was laid out and brought to the goal-line for a few minutes; from that on he did not appear to be over-anxious to go into the firing line, as it were. The old Welsh international, W. Davies, was spinning round and round Kirkland; but it was, perhaps, the helplessness of Heinemann at inside left that contributed more than anything else to the *débâcle*.

From the outset the Irishmen adopted wrong tactics. They hugged the ball and kept too close together, although it was obvious that to make headway the ball would have to be swung about. The stern commands of Lacey, frequently issued, to "hit it hard" were ignored. The Welshmen, on the other hand, seldom hesitated to let the ball go. They also hit hard—and went after it. It was flashed from one side to the other, and Davies and Thomas on either wing maintained a merry pace for our backs.

There was a thorough understanding between Thomas and his partner, who collaborated so effectively that three of the goals came from the brilliant centring of the right wing, who had changed places with Dr. Bell, the Scottish amateur international, as it was thought he would be more at home on the wing. Less successful with his centres, but, perhaps, a more brilliant all-rounder than Thomas, was Davies, while the doctor saw to it that the winger had plenty of scope.

The long journey must have taken a lot out of the players; but it was not a rush, and the crossing was not a bad one by any means. It is easy to be wise after the event, but I imagine that the Irish selectors must have been sadly disappointed at so many positive failures. We had them in all four lines.

OUR BACKS OUTPLAYED.

A very excellent goalkeeper is Captain Cannon, but he most certainly did not to-day enhance his reputation. He did effect some fine saves, but he was blamed by selectors for at least three of the goals. Had he been quicker off his mark when the danger threatened he might have staved off defeat on two occasions; but a goalkeeper needs a little assistance from those immediately in front of him. With Davies dancing rings round Kirkland, and Clarke faring little better with Thomas, that assistance was seldom forthcoming. No goalkeeper could have implicit confidence in himself with his backs outclassed so.

In an international match—this one comes into the category so far as the Free State is concerned—one cannot be expected to offer excuses for dismal failures like Heinemann. Nor did Fagan achieve the expected success. Not once did Fordson's inside right give or take a pass in the orthodox first-class professional style; he was the one "passenger" on the side. In such circumstances Robinson had to make his own play as best he could; but, even so, the wing man has often shown more convincing form in important matches.

On the other wing Fagan went from one extreme to another. Often he would dash right in and attempt to beat a pair of backs on his own, but just as frequently he would wait on the off-chance that the lusty-kicking and resolute Wetherby, of Newport County, might miss the ball entirely, and give him the opportunity which he longed for. But the back was not in an obliging frame of mind on these occasions. M'Cleery, on the other hand, was a trier. He is an opportunist, and when he was presented with a good one he seized it, and by a brilliant individual effort scored the best goal of the match—a dandy of a goal it was.

LACEY'S SUCCESS.

If there was one outstanding and gratifying feature in the play of the Irish team it was the well-sustained effort of the veteran Lacey. Regarded by many at home as a half-back who has passed his prime and left his serious football days a long way behind him, he was the one success. There was about his football all that old-time skill and cunning which made him so popular at Anfield and other grounds across the Channel. The manner in which he kept going to the end was one of the best things of the match—from our point of view. It was a pity that some of the younger players did not infuse a similar amount of energy into their football. Up to a point Foley also played remarkably well, but unlike his old clubmate he did not stick the pace, and was "dead beat" a long way from the finish.

The Free State League was two goals down at half time, Ward getting through six minutes from the interval, and Leonard heading through his own goal. M'Cleery reduced the arrears seventeen minutes from the resumption, but three more goals came to Wales—two in rapid succession, through Nicholls and Ward (2). Teams:—

Welsh League.—C. Davies (Swansea Town); Wetherby (Newport County) and Milne (Swansea Town); Nairne (Newport County), Ellerington (Ebbw Vale), and Woodward (Swansea Town); Thomas (Swansea Town), J. Nicholls (Cardiff Corries), Ward (Barry), Dr. Bell (Lovett's Athletic), and W. Davies (Cardiff City).

Free State League.—Captain Cannon (Bohemians); Kirkland (Shamrock Rovers) and Clarke (St. James's Gate); Foley (Shelbourne), Lacey (Shelbourne), and Leonard (Shamrock Rovers); Fagan (Shamrock Rovers) M'Cleery (Shelbourne), M'Ilvenny (Shelbourne), Heinemann (Fordsons), and Robinson (Shelbourne).

BELFAST RECORD MAINTAINED.

IRISH XI. TOO STRONG FOR ENGLAND.

Eighteen years have elapsed since England defeated Ireland at Belfast, and the team which took the field at Windsor Park on Saturday was expected to put a stop to this long period of non-success, but they found the Irishmen too strong, and were beaten by two goals to nil. The match was played in a drenching downpour on a pitch which had been soaked for nearly thirty hours by steady and persistent rain, but the quality of the play reached a high standard, even allowing for the mistakes consequent on a heavy ground and greasy ball. England suffered a misfortune in being deprived of their goalkeeper for the whole of the second half, and thus had to play with four forwards, Ball going into goal, while Hill, the centre half, and captain of the side, sustained a leg injury, and was limping for the greater part of the game.

Still, when the teams were at full strength Ireland were obviously the better craftsmen, and were the more dangerous from the start. To the presence of Gillespie and Irvine in the inside forward positions Ireland owe much, for these were the initiators of most of the moves, and they schemed and planned to such purpose that the English half-backs never got to grips with the Irish front line, and, failing in this first duty, they were unable to assist their own forwards. By comparison, the English insides, Ball and Earle, were poor, while Dean did not get the support he evidently requires, though when he had chances he was not in the form that has made his name in English League football. Hulme, the Arsenal forward, was the most skilful member of the visiting side, and Page also performed well, but his club-mate, M'Cluggage, gave him little scope. Cooper, the Derby County back, played a grand game in his first international, and Jones, of Blackburn Rovers, also did well, though at times uncertain in his kicking, while Hufton, until his injury, was a fine custodian. He threw himself at the feet of Jack Mahood, the Belfast Celtic outside left, as the latter was closing in on a cross from Chambers, and the goalkeeper received the full force of the forward's boot on the left forearm, which was fractured. This occurred midway through the first half, but the Englishman stayed at his post, and it was only after a medical examination at half-time that he would leave, and he was taken to the Royal Victoria Hospital, though he was able to cross to England with the English team.

Reference has been made to the cleverness of Gillespie and Irvine, but the sound work of the Irish half-backs was a big factor in the success of the side, and all three played brilliantly. Morgan completely subdued Dean, and Irving was probably the smartest of the trio, but Sloan was capital against a speedy raider in Hulme, and the right flank of England was at full strength for the whole game. Behind were two grand backs in M'Cluggage and M'Connell, and the Liverpool goalkeeper, Scott, did all that was asked of him. Twice he had an opportunity of showing his resource when Hulme and Dean broke through, and once he was called upon from close range, but palmed down the shot, and cleared in masterly style.

The teams were presented to His Grace the Governor-General of Northern Ireland before the start of the game, which was witnessed by 30,000 spectators, the gate receipts amounting to £1,650. Amongst the spectators were 2,000 miners from Nottingham and Derbyshire, who travelled in three special steamers from Heysham, arriving on Saturday morning. They had an unenviable experience, for they were drenched in the morning sightseeing in the city, after being welcomed by the Lord Mayor (Sir William Turner), and then they had to sit on the touch line seats in the pouring rain. It was little wonder that many of them left the ground soon after the start of the second half.

Although the depressing atmosphere had its effect on the crowd, play was not long in progress till the thrills began, for after Hufton had saved a "sighting" shot from Irvine, the Saxons went down and Dean with a neat overhead kick grazed the cross-bar. After five minutes Mahood got across a beautiful centre and Chambers shot strongly, but Hufton went down and saved at full length. Irvine and Chambers followed in, and when the referee whistled and appeared to point to the centre, a terrific roar of cheering went up under the impression that Ireland had scored. A free kick was the award, however. English raids found the Irish rear lines well positioned, and after Davey under pressure, had sent past, Dean got away, but appeared over-anxious and shot too soon. When Mahood got going, prompted by well placed passes from Gillespie, Nuttall was in difficulties, but Cooper frequently came to the rescue. In fifteen minutes the first corner came to Ireland, and Gillespie was only inches wide with a low fast ball. Ireland were playing a game more suited to the conditions, and the passes of the halves and inside forwards always found their man, while the English inside forwards were inclined to play too close. A goal to Ireland seemed certain when Mahood faced past Cooper to meet a low cross from the right, but Hufton's dash was well timed, though he was injured in saving. Despite his injured arm, the English keeper swept away a grand centre from the right wing. Hill had to go off for a few minutes, and Storer went to centre-half, Ball dropping into the left wing position in the half-back line. Ireland's first goal came after 36 minutes. Mahood placed a corner kick to Gillespie who nodded the ball to Irvine, and the inside right shot into the net, though apparently Cooper got his boot to the ball in its flight. Scott had a severe test immediately afterwards, but saved cleverly, and when Hulme broke away clear he came out at the right moment and picked up to kick away.

With ten men the English side played with much more dash than they had shown in the first half, but the Irish defenders were not slow to accept the challenge, and Scott was not troubled. Ball, now in goal at the other end, gathered a header from Irvine, and the Irishmen were pressing hard, though not finishing well, while Hill was lying in between the backs to stiffen the defence, and creating occasional diversions by long drives down field which sometimes found Dean and his colleagues, but just as frequently went to Morgan and the Irish backs. At the same time Hulme's speed and control were factors not to be ignored, and his dashes into the centre often resulted in two or three Irishmen being drawn after him, so that he could whip the ball away to Page on the left. Play was more scrappy than it had been in the first half, and the home team, if they had the better of the exchanges, were finding it difficult to force their advantage home. Several corners were kept out by rugged defence work on the part of Cooper, Jones and Hill, and Nuttall was playing much better than in the opening half. Once Dean went clean away and outpaced the Irish defence, but Scott forced him to shoot outside. Davey got in the way of a fierce drive by Gillespie, and had to go off for some minutes, and while he was away Earle was given a glorious opportunity to equalise, but he failed miserably. Twenty minutes from the end came the goal, which, even the Englishmen seemed to realise, sealed their fate. Irvine had possession on the right wing and dribbled and darted with three opponents around him. Suddenly he swung a long pass to Mahood on the left, and the Celtic player dropped a shot behind Ball into the net. The Irishmen later had a number of corners in the gathering gloom of the evening, but the visitors kept them out.

Mr. T. Dougray, Glasgow, had charge of the teams.

Result:—
Ireland ... 2
England ... 0

Ireland.
Goal—Scott (Liverpool).
Backs—McCluggage (Burnley) and McConnell (Reading).
Halves—Irvine (Cardiff City), Morgan (Notts Forest), and Sloan (Cardiff City).
Forwards—Chambers (Bury), Irvine (Everton), Davey (Reading), Gillespie (Sheffield United) (captain), and J. Mahood (Belfast Celtic).

England.
Goal—Hufton (West Ham United).
Backs—Cooper (Derby County) and Jones (Blackburn Rovers).
Halves—Nuttall (Bolton Wanderers), Hill (Burnley) (captain), and Storer (Derby County).
Forwards—Hulme (Arsenal), Earle (West Ham United), Dean (Everton), Ball (Bury), and Page (Burnley).

LEINSTER BEATEN AT DALYMOUNT PARK.

HEAVY SCORING IN THE MUD.

Though leading by two clear goals, after 17 minutes' play, the Leinster League selected side were beaten at Dalymount Park by the odd goal of seven by the Scottish Alliance. The wretched weather conditions spoiled the game, and the attendance was much below expectations. In the soft holding pitch the Leinster players did well to hold the Scots to a goal, and though the latter at times outplayed the local side there was little in the difference when the game is summed up.

Undoubtedly the Scotsmen were hampered by the adverse conditions, but they made the best of their opportunities, and the odd goal, on the run of the game, about sizes up their superiority. They were well served at both half-back and full, but the last line were inclined to chance matters in the closing stages, kicking in haphazard fashion and depending on the middle line to hold the rushing tactics of the Leinster attack.

In constructive play the Scottish half-backs were always superior, both M'Bain and Cowie opening out the play to their forwards, and holding the Leinster attack. In comparison, the Leinster forwards were disjointed, and lacked combined effort. On the sodden, dead ground they inclined to an open game, but they failed in their effort to overcome the Scottish backs, who at all times were dependable. Both goalkeepers were beaten by the slippery ball, and though Callaghan did not get quite as much to do as Wilson, in the Scottish goal, two of the scores were the result of his not being able to hold the ball. In the other goal Wilson was similarly handicapped. He advanced incautiously, and slipped about badly in the mud, and also failed to gather the ball.

Throughout the game, after the opening twenty minutes, when Leinster held a lead of two clear goals, the visitors gave a sparkling display of the passing code, and one wondered what would have happened on a dry pitch. In the unsteady going the Scots controlled the ball well, but they were inclined to play too close, and as a result the Leinster backs often beat them for possession.

In the close the home side were outplayed, and were it not for the stubborn defence of the Leinster backs the score would have been much bigger in Scotland's favour.

Daly and Dunne, the home full-backs, stood up well to the combined attacks of the Alliance forwards, and, though both mis-kicked, they defended with fine coolness and judgment. Morton, of Bohemians, was the pick of the middle line, and he used good judgment in his distribution of the play, sweeping the ball smartly out to both wings.

Murray, on the left of the forward line, was the most effective, and his centres gave M'Carney plenty of scope, but the latter and Gallagher were too slow to beat the Alliance backs. Mitchell, M'Bain and Patterson were the best of the Alliance forwards.

Leinster had the best of the opening play, and fifteen minutes from the start Murray gave them the lead, Wilson, the Scottish goalkeeper, falling in his attempt to clear a shot flashed in by the Drumcondra wing. Swann added the second quickly. The Scots settled down better now, and Weir reduced the lead. Mitchell scored the equaliser, and before the interval Ireland gained the lead with a long drive, which Callaghan failed to hold.

M'Carney equalised half-way through the second half from a faulty clearance of Wilson's, but before the finish Patterson secured the winning goal for the Scottish Alliance.

BRAY UNKNOWNS FAIL AT CORK.

Fordsons defeated Bray Unknowns at Ballinlough on Saturday, in the Free State League, by 5 goals to 2. Bray Unknowns were generally superior in the first half, when they had the wind in their favour, but in the second period they fell away, and the home side were deserving winners.

INTERNATIONAL.

	Goals		Goals
Ireland	2	England	0

INTER-LEAGUE MATCHES.

Welsh League	5	Free State League	1
Leinster League	3	Scottish Alliance	4

ENGLISH LEAGUE—I.

Birmingham	2	Bury	2
Blackburn Rovers	1	Leicester City	0
Bolton Wanderers	2	Liverpool	1
Cardiff City	3	Portsmouth	1
Everton	7	West Ham United	0
Huddersfield Town	1	Aston Villa	1
Manchester United	5	Derby County	0
Middlesbrough	2	Burnley	1
Newcastle United	1	Sheffield United	0
Sheffield Wednesday	1	Arsenal	1
Tottenham Hotspur	3	Sunderland	1

ENGLISH LEAGUE—II.

Blackpool	2	Manchester City	2
Bristol City	3	Fulham	0
Chelsea	2	Hull City	0
Clapton Orient	1	Preston North End	2
Grimsby Town	3	Leeds United	2
Notts County	2	Port Vale	2
Oldham Athletic	3	South Shields	1
Reading	0	Notts Forest	1
Southampton	4	Wolverhampton W.	1
Stoke City	0	Barnsley	0
West Brom. Albion	5	Swansea Town	1

ENGLISH LEAGUE—III. (SOUTH).

Brentford	4	Coventry City	1
Bournemouth	3	Gillingham	1
Brighton and Hove	0	Walsall	0
Crystal Palace	1	Queen's P. Rangers	2
Exeter City	3	Watford	1
Luton Town	1	Newport County	1
Millwall	3	Swindon Town	1
Northampton Town	2	Plymouth Argyle	1
Norwich City	2	Bristol Rovers	2
Southend United	2	Merthyr Town	1
Torquay United	1	Charlton Athletic	1

ENGLISH LEAGUE—III. (NORTH).

Barrow	0	Bradford City	0
Bradford	5	Ashington	0
Chesterfield	1	Darlington	1
Durham City	3	Wigan Borough	0
Nelson	0	New Brighton	4
Rochdale	0	Lincoln City	1
Rotherham United	5	Hartlepools United	1
Southport	5	Accrington Stanley	1
Stockport County	5	Halifax Town	0
Tranmere Rovers	3	Crewe Alexandra	1
Wrexham	1	Doncaster Rovers	0

SCOTTISH LEAGUE—I.

Aberdeen	3	Celtic	1
Airdrieonians	4	Falkirk	1
Clyde	0	Hibernians	1
Cowdenbeath	2	Partick Thistle	1
Dundee	1	Falkirk	0
Hamilton	6	Dunfermline Athletic	3
Hearts	0	Motherwell	0
Kilmarnock	1	Queen's Park	1
Rangers	7	Raith Rovers	0
St. Mirren	3	St. Johnstone	2

COURSING.

CARRICK-ON-SHANNON AND KILMORE—TO-DAY.

THE DRAW.

Judge—Mr. M. Walsh. Slipper—T. McGowan.

THE KILMORE PARK STAKES. For 15 puppies. Winner, £20 and the McDermott Cup; second, £12 10/-; third and fourth, £2 10/- each.—
Mr. D. Kavanagh's Monocord agst. Mrs. T. H. Taylor's Town Pride.
Mr. J. Woods's Jollywish agst. Miss R. Keegans' Denetina.
Mr. J. R. Latimer's Ruf Rider agst. Mr. J. Woods's Officer's Watch.
Mr. B. Farrell's Barney Boy agst. Mr. O. Gilligan's Rosalind.
Mrs. M. Egan's Golden Curil agst. Mr. J. Kelly's The Bombshell.
Mr. M. Kyne's Warlock agst. Mr. J. J. Morrisroe's Mirthful Lady.
Mr. R. Whyte's King's Shilling agst. Mrs. P. Carson's Carpio.
Mr. John Finn's Misspines, a bye.

THE CARRICK-ON-SHANNON STAKES. For 7 all-ages. Winner, £15 and the Healy Cup; second, £6.—
Mr. M. O'Beirne's Rathglass agst. Mrs. P. Carson's Moy Bead.
Mr. W. Little's Mingo agst. Mr. J. J. Morrisroe's Mirthful Jessie.
Mr. M. O'Beirne's Rathdubh agst. Mr. J. J. Scallon's Go Joker.
Mr. W. Little's Navarino Boy, a bye.

THE HEALY STAKES. For 14 all-ages. Winner, £15; second, £9; third and fourth, £2 each.—
Mrs. M. Moran's Hcen Dorman agst. Mr. A. Gettings's and Mr. W. Bloomer's Sharp's Express.
Mr. J. J. Morrisroe's Mirthful Billy agst. Mr. M. Hennigan's My Friend.
Mr. P. Logan's Awful Jade agst. Mr. M. Harte's Una Waun.
Mr. C. McCord's Amber Queen agst. Mrs. P. Carson's Celsus.
Mrs. O'Connor's Eagle Light agst. Miss E. Monahan's Fruit Vale.
Mr. M. Conway's The Winch agst. Mrs. M. Egan's Alpha Dawn.
Mr. P. O'Harte's Roslyn agst. Mr. J. J. Scallon's Killyreagh Gift.
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SELECTIONS FOR NOTTINGHAM MEETING TO-DAY.

PAPER.	1.30 RACE.	2.0 RACE.	2.30 RACE.	3.0 RACE.	3.30 RACE.	4.0 RACE.
Irish Times	Ballyrag.	Icarus.	General Advance.	How Nice.	Soccer.*	Jehu.
Galtee More	—	—	Spear o' War.	Eagle's Tail.	Toreador; if ab., Countermand.	—
S. Life and Sportsman	Tuscan.	Polyphonia.	Maximus.	Pop Ahead.	Toreador.*	Bertie Brooks.
Man on the Spot	Ballyrag.	Polyphonia.	General Advance.	Pop Ahead.	Toreador.*	Prince Rowland.
Westminster Gazette	Ballyrag.	Icarus.	Adamstoi.	Eagle's Tail.	Toreador.	Jehu.
Daily Express	Pendarves' selected if ab., Hilton.	Mah-Jongg; if ab., Expert.	Agincourt; if ab., Hastings' selected.	Hastings' selected; if ab., Rathluck.	Toreador; if ab., St. Michael's Mount.	Jehu; if ab., Bertie Brooks.
Daily Mirror	Ballyrag.	—	General Advance.	—	Soccer.	—
Daily Sketch	—	—	—	—	—	—
Star	Tuscan.	Expert.	General Advance.	Mitchells	Soccer.*	Timar.
Evening News	Hilton.	Expert.	Ganzey.*	Toy Cup.	Brown Jack.*	Prince Rowland.
Evening Standard	—	—	—	—	—	—
The Times	—	—	—	—	—	—

RUGBY

WATERLOG… GROUND…

INSTONIANS OV… TRINITY…

WARATAHS DRAW WI…

Coming after so many fine… the start of the Rugby seas… breakdown in the weather o… all the more marked. From … Friday night rain fell heavi… throughout Saturday, made t… the Rugby code the worst … various pitches were all water… at University Park, T… University College were to h… downe, was in such a bad s… H. Miles, the referee, decla… play. This, however, was the… four senior matches which wa…

What gave every promise … interesting game was the … Dublin University and the … side, Instonians, but this, … games, was spoiled by the … The Northerners won by a d… a penalty goal to one try, … lucky to do so, and had the … other way it would have bee… of the play.

Wanderers, adapting them… the conditions, gained a deci… Clontarf, the goal kicking of… a feature of the match. At … Wesley, playing surprisingly … the heavy ground, had a me… over Malone. There were s… exciting games played in the … The New South Wales XV… match of their tour against a… team, which included En… Scottish internationals. The… making it a drawn game, ho… hold a good chance of coming… an unbeaten record.

INSTONIANS' HA… TO WIN.

TRINITY UNLU… H. HEWITT'S FINE…

Considering the very un… ditions the match in the… between Dublin University … was by no means an unin… There was nothing in the … play, of course, but it was… strenuous struggle, with bot… all in right to the end. Th… won by a dropped goal and a… points) to a try (3 points), … really not value for their victo… the game from the amount of… the visitors' line was subjecte… team were more deserving o… back play there was came fr… on more than one occasion Ch… were only stopped on the line,… actually got over, only to los…

It might, indeed, have serve… better had they concentrated mo… game, because accurate handling… possible under the conditions. … player on the winning side wa… younger brother of the internatio… and Frank. He was responsible … and his dropped goal was a p… piece of work. His kicking to … great assistance to his side. … right wing, played a right good… much in the picture in defence, … strongly. McClenahan did not g… ball, but he tackled well. P… worker at the base of the scr… forwards, Dick, Goldsborough, an… Murray, injured in the second ha… retire, played splendidly at full ba… period, doing everything which… without blemish.

Knott was also a good perfor… line of defence for Trinity, and … retain his place. Nunns and C… prominent of the backs, and bo… strong running, while Hewat and… well. McNeilly played well a… Buchanan, McGuire and Pike were… front rank.

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Instonians … 1 dropped … goal …
Dublin University … 1 try (3 …

The teams were:—
Dublin University—H. E. Knott; … J. C. Cherry, J. C. D. Hewat, M. … Grealy; R. McNeilly, R. St. J. L… Buchanan, R. B. Pike, H. L. Dixo… J. T. Paul, V. J. Pike, H. V. Ti…
Instonians—D. R. Murray; A. C… Lindsay, W. S. Campbell, R. O. M… Hewitt, R. B. Price; J. P. Campb… G. B. Goldsborough, H. Halliday, … Neill, J. M. McDowell, W. F. Watt…
Referee—Mr. R. W. Jeffares, …

WANDERERS' A… BILITY.

BIG SCORE AGAINST …

In common with most game… the match between Wanderer… at headquarters was played … adverse conditions, drizzling … pitch and greasy ball reducing… ward rushing affair in the ma… side were without their promi… Shee, but he found a capa… Locke. Clontarf replaced … (suffering from an injured kn… by E. Buggy and J. Love. … by three goals, two penalty g… to a try, but their superiorit… great on the run of the game … margin would indicate. They … vincing victory to two factors, … from the start of the only po… loose, fast, dribbling rushes an… place-kicking of Desmond Kenn…

The game had only been th… progress when Murray sent out … though the movement broke do… Locke dribbled over at the corner, … the touch, and Kennedy convertin… the touch-line. Lawlor and Seym… invading, but Locke ran back, and… over for a try at the left, which K… with another fine kick, and Wan… points up in ten minutes. Seym… eased the pressure, but after H… were only held up on the Clontarf … out for Peard to score far out at… nedy's kick only just dropping sho… interval Seymour intercepted and ki… Lawlor, following up, scored fro… Seymour failed to add the point… position, and Wanderers led by 1… the interval.

Clontarf now adopted more of th… and had their share of attack. W… doing well. Nowlan and Hilton … Wanderers, and Kennedy landed … long range. Loose rushes followed… away from near half-way, to w… behind the posts, and Kennedy … needful. Just before the end Ken… another penalty from the touch-lin… The Wanderers' back was in fin… a good length, and his place-kick… ball from difficult angles was admi… five goals out of eight shots. Lo… were the best of the three-quarte… tireless at the base of the scrum, an… well. Reilly, Bam, Hilton, and A… the best of the forwards. For … Nowlan was safe, if a bit slow in t… Buggy and Lawlor did well on the … tackled well, but Seymour was … getting hurt early in the match. … judiciously, and Cavanagh, Mahon… Ryan did best of a pack that did… most of the prevailing conditions.

Wanderers—5 goals (2 penalties)
Clontarf—1 try (3 pts.).

Teams:—
Wanderers—D. E. P. Kennedy; … P. McAllister, J. T. Keegan, A. … Peyton, P. T. Murray; E. Bam, J… Fisher, H. J. Hilton, L. R. K… Nowlan, H. N. Potterton, J. K. R…
Clontarf—G. S. Nowlan; E. G… Seymour, G. A. Tyndall, T. J. G… A. Wallens, J. E. Allen; J. P. Cav… ton, O. L. Mahony, P. H. Mooney, … O'S. Roche, W. D. Ryan, J. Love.
Referee—Dr. J. Beckett.

WESLEY FORW… PREVAIL.

KNOCK'S LOSS OF A … TELLS.

Old Wesley scored a dec… against Knock at Donnybrook, … three goals (one penalty) and … Conditions were not conducive … ball, but nevertheless the Old … executed some clever movement… throughout the afternoon, and … with the heavy state of the … the match develop, in the early… a forward game. Wesley packe… heeled cleaner, and had the vi… in their own territory in the … This was due principally to the … the pack of Bennett, who had to… the interval owing to injuries.

Young was the outstanding ma… his handling was very fine, while h…

RUGBY.

WATERLOGGED GROUNDS.

INSTONIANS OVERCOME TRINITY.

WARATAHS DRAW WITH LONDON

Coming after so many fine week-ends since the start of the Rugby season, the emphatic breakdown in the weather on Saturday was all the more marked. From an early hour on Friday night rain fell heavily, and, lasting throughout Saturday, made the conditions for the Rugby code the worst possible. The various pitches were all waterlogged, and that at University Park, Terenure, where University College were to have played Lansdowne, was in such a bad state that Mr. J. H. Miles, the referee, declared it unfit for play. This, however, was the only one of the four senior matches which was postponed.

What gave every promise of being a most interesting game was the meeting between Dublin University and the crack Northern side, Instonians, but this, like the other games, was spoiled by the conditions afoot. The Northerners won by a dropped goal and a penalty goal to one try, but they were lucky to do so, and had the verdict gone the other way it would have been a better reflex of the play.

Wanderers, adapting themselves better to the conditions, gained a decisive success over Clontarf, the goal kicking of Kennedy being a feature of the match. At Donnybrook Old Wesley, playing surprisingly good football on the heavy ground, had a meritorious victory over Malone. There were several close and exciting games played in the Junior League.

The New South Wales XV. had the stiffest match of their tour against a strong London team, which included English, Irish and Scottish internationals. They succeeded in making it a drawn game, however, and they hold a good chance of coming to Ireland with an unbeaten record.

INSTONIANS' HARD FIGHT TO WIN.

TRINITY UNLUCKY.

H. HEWITT'S FINE PLAY.

Considering the very unfavourable conditions the match in the College Park between Dublin University and Instonians was by no means an uninteresting affair. There was nothing in the way of brilliant play, of course, but it was a hard-fought, strenuous struggle, with both sides putting all in right to the end. The Northern side won by a dropped goal and a penalty goal (7 points) to a try (3 points), but they were really not value for their victory, and, judging the game from the amount of pressure which the visitors' line was subjected to, the home team were more deserving of success. Any back play there was came from Trinity, and on more than one occasion Cherry and Nunns were only stopped on the line, while McNeilly actually got over, only to lose the ball.

It might, indeed, have served the University better had they concentrated more on a forward game, because accurate handling was almost impossible under the conditions. The outstanding player on the winning side was H. Hewitt, a younger brother of the international players, Tom and Frank. He was responsible for both scores, and his dropped goal was a particularly clever piece of work. His kicking to touch was also of great assistance to his side. Douglas, on the right wing, played a right good game, and was much in the picture in defence, while he also ran strongly. McClenahan did not get much of the ball, but he tackled well. Price was a hard worker at the base of the scrum; and of the forwards, Dick, Goldsborough, and Neill were best. Murray, injured in the second half and forced to retire, played splendidly at full back in the opening period, doing everything which came his way without blemish.

Knott was also a good performer in the last line of defence for Trinity, and seems likely to retain his place. Nunns and Cherry were most prominent of the backs, and both put in much strong running, while Hewat and Cussen also did well. McNeilly played well at out-half, and Buchanan, McGuire and Pike were the pick of the front rank.

Trinity had much the better of the first half, in the early part of which Instonians opened the scoring with a penalty goal, kicked by Hewitt. The home side, however, put up many strong spells of attack, and Cussen, after a good run and cross-kick, almost scored, Douglas dashing across to save in the nick of time.

In the opening minutes of the second period Hewitt dropped a goal for the Northerners. The University attacked hotly after this, and McNeilly, from a pass by Cussen, got over, but lost the ball. A little later, however, Hewat scored a try, which Buchanan failed to convert. Trinity made desperate efforts to add to their score, but the Instonian defence held sound to the end. Result:—

Instonians .... 1 dropped goal, 1 penalty goal (7 points)
Dublin University... 1 try (3 points)

The teams were:—

Dublin University—H. E. Knott; C. F. G. Nunns; J. C. Cherry, J. C. D. Hewat, M. E. Cussen, J. J. Grealy; R. McNeilly, R. St. J. Lyburn; A. MacM. Buchanan, R. B. Pike, H. L. Dixon, J. J. McGuire, J. T. Paul, V. J. Pike, H. V. Tighe.

Instonians—D. R. Murray; A. C. Douglas, C. W. Lindsay, W. S. Campbell, R. O. McClenahan; H. C. Hewitt, R. B. Price; J. P. Campbell, W. C. Dick, G. B. Goldsborough, H. Halliday, J. Kennedy, J. Neill, J. M. McDowel, W. F. Watkinson.

Referee—Mr. R. W. Jeffares, jun.

WANDERERS' ADAPTABILITY.

BIG SCORE AGAINST CLONTARF.

In common with most games on Saturday, the match between Wanderers and Clontarf at headquarters was played under the most adverse conditions, drizzling rain, sodden pitch and greasy ball reducing play to a forward rushing affair in the main. The home side were without their promising wing man, Shee, but he found a capable deputy in Locke. Clontarf replaced A. D. Browne (suffering from an injured knee) and Butler by E. Buggy and J. Love. Wanderers won by three goals, two penalty goals and a try to a try, but their superiority was not so great on the run of the game as the winning margin would indicate. They owed their convincing victory to two factors, their adoption from the start of the only possible tactics—loose, fast, dribbling rushes and the excellent place-kicking of Desmond Kennedy.

The game had only been three minutes in progress when Murray sent out to the left, and though the movement broke down Keegan and Locke dribbled over at the corner, the latter getting the touch, and Kennedy converting capitally from the touch-line. Lawlor and Seymour put Clontarf invading, but Locke ran back, and Murray dribbled over for a try at the left, which Kennedy converted with another fine kick, and Wanderers were ten points up in ten minutes. Seymour and Nowlan eased the pressure, but after Hilton and Locke were only held up on the Clontarf line Murray sent out for Peard to score far out at the right, Kennedy's kick only just dropping short. Nearing the interval Seymour intercepted and kicked high ahead. Lawlor, following up, scored from the rush, but Seymour failed to add the points from an easy position, and Wanderers led by 13 points to 3 at the interval.

Clontarf now adopted more of the loose dribbling, and had their share of attack, Wallens and Ryan doing well. Nowlan and Hilton dribbled well for Wanderers, and Kennedy landed a penalty from long range. Loose rushes followed till Locke broke away from near half-way, to wriggle his way behind the posts, and Kennedy again did the needful. Just before the end Kennedy brought off another penalty from the touch-line.

The Wanderers' back was in fine form, kicking a good length, and his place-kicking with a wet ball from difficult angles was admirable—he landed five goals out of eight shots. Locke and Keegan were the best of the three-quarters; Murray was tireless at the base of the scrum, and Peyton kicked well. Reilly, Bam, Hilton, and A. W. Nowlan were the best of the forwards. For Clontarf, G. S. Nowlan was safe, if a bit slow in fielding, at back. Buggy and Lawlor did well on the wings. Tyndall tackled well, but Seymour was handicapped by getting hurt early in the match. Wallens kicked judiciously, and Cavanagh, Mahony, Mooney, and Ryan did best of a pack that did not make the most of the prevailing conditions. Result:—

Wanderers—5 goals (2 penalties) 1 try (24 pts.).
Clontarf—1 try (3 pts.).

Teams:—

Wanderers—D. E. P. Kennedy; W. H. Peard, V. P. McAllister, J. T. Keegan, A. E. Locke; H. N. Peyton, P. T. Murray; E. Bam, J. Carroll, A. J. Fisher, H. J. Hilton, L. R. Keatinge, A. W. Nowlan, H. N. Potterton, J. K. Reilly.

Clontarf—G. S. Nowlan; E. G. Buggy, E. N. Seymour, G. A. Tyndall, T. J. G. Lawlor; W. H. A. Wallens, J. E. Allen; J. P. Cavanagh, K. Highton, O. L. Mahony, P. H. Mooney, T. D. Murphy, O'S. Roche, W. D. Ryan, J. Love.

Referee—Dr. J. Beckett.

WESLEY FORWARDS PREVAIL.

KNOCK'S LOSS OF A FORWARD TELLS.

Old Wesley scored a decisive victory against Knock at Donnybrook, winning by three goals (one penalty) and a try to nil. Conditions were not conducive to good football, but nevertheless the Old Wesley backs executed some clever movements. Rain fell throughout the afternoon, and this, together with the heavy state of the ground, made the match develop, in the early stages, into a forward game. Wesley packed better and heeled cleaner, and had the visitors penned in their own territory in the second half. This was due principally to the absence from the pack of Bennett, who had to retire before the interval owing to injuries.

Young was the outstanding man on the field. His handling was very fine, while he started many dangerous movements, and was mainly responsible for two of the tries. Another who caught the eye was Phillips, the Knock left centre. His handling, also, was good, while his kicking was quite a feature.

The first half was fairly even, Old Wesley scoring six points, Young dropping a penalty goal and Kapp scoring after all the backs had handled. Then in the second half, although the home side were constantly on their opponents' line, only two scores resulted. The first came after Gray had broken through at half-way and sent Richardson over, and the other when Young had cut through and set the backs on the move, Smith finally grounding the ball between the posts. Both tries were converted by Young.

Forsythe was sound in the last line for the winners, and made few mistakes. The "threes" all made the best of their chances. Willoughby did good work at the base of the scrum, and was ably supported by Young. The pick of the pack were Seymour, Love, Fitzpatrick and Ruttle.

M'Grindle kicked and fielded well for Knock. Davidson, on the wing, showed a good turn of speed, which was used more in defence than in attack, as the ball rarely reached him. Carey, the scrum half, worked hard, as did M'Millan, but both were on the slow side. The forwards all did their best, but were inclined to pick up the ball instead of dribbling. The most prominent, perhaps, were Topping, Maze and Rudd. Result:—

Old Wesley—3 goals (1 penalty and 1 try) (16 points).
Knock—Nil.

Teams:—

Old Wesley—Forsythe; Gray, Smith, Richardson, Kapp; Willoughby, Young; Ruttle, Seymour, Fitzpatrick, Love, Massey, Prim, Maher, Greenaway.

Knock—J. M'Grindle; M. B. Hamilton, E. Phillips, F. Keoller, J. Davidson; A. L. Carey, A. M'Millan; F. W. Price, W. Duncan, H. Flood, H. Frame, R. Bennett, F. Maze, F. T. Rudd, J. I. Topping (capt.).

Referee—Mr. C. P. Stewart.

MONKSTOWN FARE BADLY.

J. M'VICKER'S CLEVER TRY.

Although Monkstown had a five-point lead at the half-way stage of their game with Queen's University at Ravenhill, Belfast, they were unable to retain their advantage in the second half, and were beaten by 2 goals and 2 tries (16 points) to 1 goal and 1 penalty goal (8 points). The match was played in a downpour of rain, and only a handful of spectators turned up at the Ulster branch headquarters. The greasy ball was against open play, but there were a few good handling bouts, though the forwards had the greater share in the exchanges, and the Queen's lot in loose dribbling were superior to the opposition. The last score obtained by the Belfast side was typical of the clever footwork of the home pack, though it was in the nature of an individual effort by James McVicker, who is this season leading the 'Varsity forwards. The Irish international player took the ball at his toes from midfield and went right through in great style.

Monkstown started well, for while the ball was in a state to hold the visitors' backs put in some clever handling, and in five minutes a round of passing, in which Ganly, Williams, and Connell participated, resulted in the last-named crossing, for Ganly to add the extra points. Queen's endeavoured to emulate the example of the Dublin side, but they did not make ground with the same precision, nor did they handle as surely. Nevertheless, they succeeded in maintaining a footing in the Monkstown 25 for some time, and eventually McConnell found his way over, but he could not improve on the effort. Twice in succession the visitors' line had a narrow escape, but short kicking did not prove profitable. Then from a free near the home 25 Ganly landed a penalty goal. Another free near the Monkstown line eased pressure when the students were attacking, and Withers was nearly over.

Queen's were definitely on top from soon after the restart, for Entrican burst through for a try at the posts, and McConnell goaled to put the teams on level terms. Most of the play in this half was in Monkstown territory, and Boyd finished a forward rush with a try which went unconverted. Ganly was unfortunate when he tried a drop at goal, his shot rebounding from the cross-bar, and Mordaunt made a good run, only to slip up when he reached the Queen's full back. Before the close came McVicker's try, which Rea converted.

The teams were:—

Queen's University—S. B. Hughes; P. P. Fry, J. E. Entrican, J. G. Kerr, J. Withers; F. P. M'Connell, J. T. Rea (capt.); J. McVicker, J. A. Boyd, H. O'Neill, N. S. Dickson, C. Dick, M. W. Forster, R. B. Murphy, J. Kyle.

Monkstown—J. P. O'Brien; J. V. Connell, H. Williams, A. A. Buchanan, W. E. Mordaunt; C. J. O'Connell, J. B. Ganly; J. F. Murphy, R. A. Ross-Todd, E. C. G. Mulhern, G. L. Jones, J. Baxter, P. Tighe, R. A. Guise-Brown, N. R. M'Govern.

LIVERPOOL UNIVERSITY IMPRESSIVE.

FINE PLAY AGAINST UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, CORK.

The visit of Liverpool University to Cork on last Saturday provided the finest display of Rugby football seen in the Southern province during the season. Opposed by University College, the visitors were vastly superior in every department, and although the final result was 3 goals (1 penalty) (13 points) against 1 try (3 points), they left one with the impression of having a considerable amount in reserve. They won virtually every scrum, and, playing behind a winning pack, the outsides were given every opportunity to shine.

Delightful passing bouts, in which on numerous occasions both forwards and backs combined, were a feature of the game, and the scene of activity was changed with amazing rapidity time and again. Liverpool scored twice in the opening period, Mercer and Benson touching down for Green to add the goal points on each occasion. The second score was the result of a delightful movement, initiated well inside their own half, and in which all the backs participated. Green had landed a useful penalty goal before O'Meara was successful in getting over for the home side's only score. This success seemed to infuse renewed vigour into the Cork side, as towards the closing stages, despite lack of training, they pressed strongly, but were unable to reduce the leeway.

Van Sacke, Benson, and Jeffcoate were probably the outstanding backs on the field, and the most prominent Liverpool forwards were Thewlis, Mercer, and Green. The tackling by the local backs was deplorably weak, and, although beaten for possession, the forwards had held their own in the loose. White, Neville, and Egar were the outstanding players on the side. Result:—

Liverpool University—3 goals (1 penalty) (13 points).
University College, Cork—1 try (3 points).

ULSTER CHAMPIONSHIP.

COLLEGIANS BEAT BANGOR.

Only one other senior game was decided in Belfast on Saturday, and, on a sodden pitch at Deramore Park, Collegians defeated Bangor in the Club Championship by 4 tries (12 points) to nil. Malone were to have played Lurgan at the County Armagh town but this match was off. The home backs were the smarter in the game at Deramore Park, and Clark, the Scottish hurdles champion and Rugby trials three-quarter, was excellent, both in defence and attack. After a time, however, forward play was the order, though the Collegians never lost any opportunity of handling. The game had only been a few minutes in progress when McGuffin got over for a try, which was not converted. Maxwell again crossed, but again the points were not added. Crawford did good work at full-back when Bangor had a spell of aggression near the interval. The seasiders strove strenuously in the early stages of the second period, but they could not penetrate the defence, and a counter-attack by the home forwards ended in J. Thompson scoring. McGuffin scored another try before "no side." Siggins failing to get the heavy ball between the uprights on both occasions. Teams:—

Collegians—H. G. Crawford; A. C. Maxwell, H. Kennedy, A. F. Clark, J. McGuffin; J. Calvert, I. Marshall; J. R. F. Hamilton, C. R. C. Hillyard, H. McDowell, G. McIlwaine, C. Mullen, J. A. Siggins, Jack Thompson, Joe Thompson.

Bangor—G. E. C. Rodgers; W. T. Strain, H. W. Moffett, N. Bambrick, R. E. Russell; D. Strain, E. V. Agnew; G. E. Abbott, S. E. Allen, J. E. F. Baxter, R. H. Dowse, A. Larmour, W. J. McAuley, H. McKee, J. McKeown.

BLACKROCK COLLEGE IN THE SOUTH.

EASY WIN OVER GARRYOWEN.

Blackrock College paid a visit to Limerick on Saturday, and, at the Market Field, scored an easy win over Garryowen. In the first half they scored a goal and two tries, to a penalty goal, kicked by Hegarty, for Garryowen. Well served by their forwards, the Blackrock backs held the mastery in the second half. Blundell and Devenish were especially clever. Three more tries were scored by the Dublin side, one being converted, while Hegarty added another penalty goal for Garryowen. Result:

Blackrock College—2 goal 4 tries (22 points).
Garryowen—2 penalty goals (6 points).

METHODIST COLLEGE BEAT PORTORA.

Methodist College 1st XV. met Portora 1st at Enniskillen on Saturday. Early in the game Methodist scored a good try, which was converted. The heavy nature of the ground and a continual downpour of rain suited Portora forwards, and they pressed continually, and had the better of a very hard fought game, and but for the brilliant defence of Methodist would have scored more than once. Result:—

Methodist College—1 goal (5 points).
Portora R.S.—Nil.

INTER-COUNTY MATCH.

LONGFORD DEFEAT SLIGO.

Playing at Longford Park last week, Co. Longford defeated Co. Sligo by 1 goal and 2 tries (11 points) to nil. Play in the first half was mainly confined to Sligo territory, and strenuous scrummaging was the order of the day. Towards the end of this half a neat passing movement among Longford backs ended in Callanan putting in a strong run and touching down far out. This try was unconverted. Upon resumption of play in the second half, Sligo pressed strongly, but the home defence was very sound. Heslin, at full, was kept busy, and kicked and tackled well. Pressure was relieved by the home forwards, who swept the ball down the field, and, Callanan picking up in the loose, went over for a try between the posts. He also added the extra points. Towards the end of this half Longford forwards broke away with the ball at their feet. It was covered by the Sligo full, but Bradley raced up and picked up to ground between the posts. This try was unconverted. Result:—

Co. Longford—1 goal 2 tries (11 points).
Co. Sligo—Nil.

Prize-winners in the Dublin Civic Week Garden Competition at the Pembroke Town Hall.
Front Row—Mrs. and Mr. Brennan (1st prize-winners), Miss Carson (who organised the competition), Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Keenan (2nd prize-winners).
Back Row includes Mrs. B. Cooper, Mr. M. Walsh and Major Bryan Cooper.

NORTH TOO STRONG FOR LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool had a weak side in opposition to North of Ireland at Liverpool on Saturday, and were well beaten. The game was played in steady rain. The visitors were quickly into their stride, and the smart passing of the three-quarters kept Liverpool pinned within their own "25." Thompson touched down and averted a certain try. North were awarded a free kick, and Stewart narrowly missed. Liverpool broke away twice, but were soon back on the defensive. Gibson scored for North, and shortly afterwards Liverpool had a spell of attacking. Llewellyn picked up and passed to Woods, who ran well, but Baillie, the North full-back, brought off a magnificent tackle. North then resumed the attack, and M'Kee crossed the line from a forward rush. The try was converted.

In the second half North continued for the most part on the offensive, and finally ran out winners by 11 points to nil.

NARROW VICTORY FOR BECTIVE RANGERS.

KEEN FIGHT BY LONDON IRISH.

Bective Rangers played their first match on Saturday on the new London Irish ground at Motspur Park, the home of the Worcester Polo Club, situated on the South-West of London.

The game proved a fast one, although the weather conditions were of the worst possible description. In the circumstances, play could never be expected to reach a high standard, but it was, nevertheless, always interesting. As the score suggests, the game was a fairly even one, but the visitors deserved their victory, for they were always the better side, their forwards being superior. There were times when the London Irish pack were simply overwhelmed.

The visitors were better served, too, at half, Arigho working the scrum in first-class style, while Dowd ran and passed well at times. As was to be expected, the three-quarters failed to shine, very little good passing being seen, but the insides combined well, and were a frequent source of danger. Amongst the forwards, J. D. Farrell (capt.) was in excellent form, MacMurrough, Sheehan and Carroll being also prominent.

For London Irish, MacMahon served his side well. He kicked well with either foot, his touch-finding frequently standing the home side in good stead. The three-quarters were very weak, Robinson Ballough and O'Connor being absent through injuries, and very little combination was shown. King, on the right wing, showed a good turn of speed.

Play was somewhat desultory in the opening stages, the balance of play being in favour of the home side. Kelly made a good run through, but was brought down, King also being crowded off when a score against the visitors seemed certain. Bective Rangers then began to get together, and a fine bout of passing ended with Fitzsimmons fumbling the ball. They never had such a fine chance again during the rest of the half, the tackling of the home side being very effective. With the visitors getting the ball out of the scrum nine times out of ten, London Irish were kept mostly on the defensive. For handling in the scrum a penalty kick was awarded against the home side, Farrell landing a fine goal.

Play was very scrappy in the second half, the best effort coming from Arigho, who ran three-quarters of the length of the field, but his pass went wide, and a good opportunity was missed. Result:—

Bective Rangers—1 penalty goal (3 points).
London Irish—Nil.

Teams—London Irish—J. MacMahon; R. W. King, T. Ryan, J. E. Conway, T. Kelleher; E. C. Kelly, J. Ryan; S. J. Cagney, W. Morgan, C. J. S. O'Malley, J. O'Callaghan, G. Grey, T. West, T. O. Gilbert, S. T. Ellison.

Bective Rangers—M. Sheehan; N. Cudahy, J. Nesbitt, J. O'Donnell, J. Fitzsimmons; T. O'Dowd, J. Arigho; A. E. Farrell, J. MacMurrough, M. Dearing, G. Higginbotham, J. Sheehan, C. Carroll, M. A. McInerney, T. J. Little.

Referee—Mr. A. E. Dodderidge.

NEW SOUTH WALES TOUR.

NO SCORE IN MATCH WITH LONDON.

As the outcome of a wonderfully hard struggle, the match between London and New South Wales at Twickenham was left drawn, neither side being able to score. The Waratahs, on this their first appearance on a London ground, took the field with a record of ten consecutive victories, in which they had scored 190 points to 44, and had the weather been favourable there was every reason to expect a very brilliant display of Rugby.

Unhappily, rain, commencing at an early hour, fell without a break the whole time play was in progress, and in the second half was extremely heavy. In circumstances such as these it was hopeless to look for clever and accurate handling or anything in the shape of strong, firm running. The contest therefore resolved itself very largely into a battle between the rival packs, and it can be said at once that a finer struggle between two good sets of forwards has rarely been seen.

On both sides the marking and tackling were both close and keen, while the two full backs, Ross and Sellar, fielded the greasy ball with extraordinary accuracy and kicked superbly.

After change of ends, London, on the whole, were the better side. Certainly they were more convincing behind the scrummage, and on one occasion Spong cut through, instead of passing, and nearly got over.

There were numerous stoppages owing to injuries, but when an unduly prolonged second half came to an end both sides had had quite enough of the heavy work. Altogether it was a fine match to watch, despite the bad weather and the absence of brilliant back play.

TERENURE GROUND UNPLAYABLE.

Owing to the incessant downpour of rain on Saturday, and the unplayable condition of the ground at Terenure, the match listed between University College and Lansdowne was not played. Both teams turned up, but it was soon evident that there was no chance of a clearance.

SATURDAY'S RESULTS.

	Pts.		Pts.
IRISH SENIOR MATCHES.			
Instonians	7	Dublin University	3
Wanderers	24	Clontarf	3
Old Wesley	16	Knock	0
Queen's Univ., Belfast	16	Monkstown	8
Blackrock College	22	Garryowen	6
Liverpool Univ.	13	Univ. College, Cork	3
Collegians	12	Bangor	0
LEINSTER JUNIOR MATCHES.			
Wanderers 2nd	6	Palmerston 2nd	0
Dublin Univ. 2nd	14	Blackrock College 2nd	3
Lansdowne 2nd	12	Univ. College 2nd	6
Balbriggan	3	R.S.P.U.	0
Monkstown 2nd	9	Malahide	0
Clontarf 2nd	3	Kingswood	3
Bective Rangers 2nd	12	Imperial Tobacco Co.	3
Belvedere College	19	Bective R. 3rd A	0
Civil Service 2nd	3	Old Wesley 3rd	0
Monkstown 3rd	13	Malahide 2nd	0
C.Y.M.S.	6	Blackrock College 3rd	3
Wanderers 3rd	6	Palmerston 3rd	6
Y.M.C.A.	9	R.S.P.U. 2nd	0
ULSTER JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP.			
Bangor 2nd	12	Lurgan 2nd	0
Armagh	9	Collegians 2nd	6
Sydenham	17	Banbridge	3
Malone 2nd	10	Y.M.C.A.	3
Donaghadee	5	Ballymena	0
Queen's 2nd	8	Larne	5
Cooke	6	King's Scholars	0
Instonians 2nd	0	Dungannon	0
Queen's Island	9	Knock 2nd	3
Carrick	5	Portadown	0
ULSTER MINOR LEAGUE.			
Bangor 3rd	0	Jordanstown	0
Ballymena 2nd	14	Cooke 2nd	0
Malone 3rd	14	Whitehead	0
Antrim	10	Knock 3rd	0
N.I.F.C. 3rd	19	Queen's 3rd	3
Sydenham 2nd	11	King's Scholars 2nd	0
Clarence	27	Ophir 2nd	0
Sirocco	9	Collegians 3rd	6
NEW SOUTH WALES TOUR.			
London	0	New South Wales	0
COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP.			
Cornwall	3	Somerset	6
Devon	5	Gloucestershire	3
CLUB MATCHES.			
London Irish	0	Bective Rangers	3
Blackheath	16	Cardiff	7
Guy's Hospital	3	Harlequins	0
London Scottish	9	Old Alleynians	0
St. Bart.'s Hospital	25	Chatham Services	3
Old Merchant Taylor's	0	Old Blues	3
Aberavon	26	Devonport Services	8
London Welsh	11	Glamorgan Wanderers	3
Oxford University	3	United Services	9
Plymouth Albion	23	Bristol University	14
Pontypool	6	Ebbw Vale	3
Edinburgh University	3	Glasgow Acads.	11
Heriotonians	3	Watsonians	3
Old Millhillians	14	Clifton	0
Edgware	11	Bridgwater A.	8
Neath	9	Bridgend	6
Bradford	16	Cross Keys	3
Bristol	7	Rosslyn Park	8
Bath	6	Old Paulines	5
Cheltenham	0	Gloucester	3
Cambridge University	11	Richmond	0
Llanelly	42	Abertillery	0
Moseley	0	Leicester	27
Northampton	6	Coventry	3
Newport	6	Swansea	3
Streatham	11	Olney	0

RUGBY LEAGUE.

Batley	0	Keighley	3
Bramley	2	Dewsbury	18
Castleford	3	Leeds	13
Halifax	9	Hull Kingston Rovers	2
Hull	5	St. Helens	5
Hunslet	7	Rochdale Hornets	4
Leigh	11	Widnes	0
Pontypridd	5	Oldham	14
Salford	2	Huddersfield	12
St. Helens Rec.	8	Wigan	0
Swinton	24	Barrow	3
Wakefield Trinity	19	York	5
Warrington	16	Broughton Rangers	0
Wigan Highfield	5	Bradford	0

HOCKEY.

LEAGUE PROGRAMMES CURTAILED.

PEMBROKE WANDERERS' NARROW WIN.

Hockey suffered more severely than other games from the conditions which prevailed on Saturday. Grounds at Foxrock, Park avenue and Stillorgan road were all unfit for play, with the result that the senior matches, Three Rock Rovers v. Monkstown, Railway Union v. Corinthians and Dalkey v. National Bank, had to be postponed. The same fate befell the majority of the matches in the other divisions.

Rain also fell heavily in the North, where all the Senior League and most of the junior games were put off.

The programme listed by the Leinster Ladies' Union suffered from the same conditions, and only in a few cases was it possible to play.

One senior match, Kingstown Grammar School and Pembroke Wanderers, at Tivoli terrace, was completed, Wanderers winning by three goals to two.

A NARROW VICTORY FOR PEMBROKE WANDERERS.

It needed plenty of enthusiasm to play hockey on Saturday, but Pembroke Wanderers and Kingstown Grammar School had no lack in this respect, for they turned out to a man at Tivoli terrace, and, in a continuous downpour, played off their League fixture. As was only natural, under the circumstances, the play did not reach a high standard.

On the bad pitch, anything like combined play was very difficult, but there were indications that, given more favourable conditions, a fine exhibition might have been witnessed.

Pembroke Wanderers won by a narrow margin—three goals to two—and, on the run of the play, fully deserved the points. They started without several of their players, and till their side was completed the School had the better of matters.

C. W. Cook opened the scoring early on, but subsequently the visitors' defence improved, and, as a result, their forwards got going, and Martin equalised with a great shot. From this the play ran on even lines, but Wanderers were always the more threatening in the circle, and Gibson, who showed little of his old form, had a busy time. He was beaten twice again by Martin and L'Estrange, but the centre forward's goal was disallowed for an infringement. Again the equaliser soon followed, Cook scoring from a penalty corner, and the sides crossed over 2-all.

Pembroke Wanderers practically dominated the play in the second half, and, except for a few attacks, which were quickly repulsed, Grammar School were confined to their own half. That only one more goal was scored is a tribute to the defence of Austin, Varian, Felton and Phillips. Twice Cook was unlucky. He brought the ball well down only to lose it over the line. Staples, on the other wing, was also prominent in attack.

It was midway through this period that the winning goal came, McCormick netting from a long corner. In the last few minutes the School made great efforts, and the long whistle went with play at the visitors' circle. Teams:—

Kingstown G.S.—C. W. Gibson; W. Austin, I. Varian; N. C. Felton, C. W. Winder, L. S. Phillips; T. Staples, J. D. Wilson, D. G. Jones, W. H. H. Kenny, C. W. Cook (captain).

Pembroke Wanderers—F. Hannon; E. E. Spence (captain), O. O'Sullivan; H. Buttimere, C. J. Little, G. Clancy; — Doyle, D. Allen, R. P. Martin, A. E. McCormick, J. L'Estrange.

Umpires—Messrs. Ivan Howe and W. F. McDonnell.

TO-DAY'S MATCH.

Railway Union (A) v. Corinthians (A), Park avenue, 3.45 o'clock.

Railway Union "A"—J. Corscadden; T. Gilleran, F. G. Suds; J. Pentt, W. Chiddick, T. McKee; T. C. Blacker, T. Spearman, H. Lyons, F. Chadwick, J. White.

WEXFORD have elected the following officers:—Mr. J. F. Cronin, president; J. Glyn Irvine, captain; the Rev. F. Bennett, vice-captain, and Miss G. Brennan captain of the ladies' team.

MIDDLE LEAGUE—B.	Goals.		Goals.
Wicklow	4	Railway Union 3rd	1
Pembroke Wand. 2nd	4	Three R. Rovers 2nd	6
INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE—A.			
Pembroke Wand. 3rd	1	Civil Service	1
INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE—B.			
Kingstown G.S. 3rd	4	Railway Union 4th	0
Y.M.C.A.	2	North Kildare	6

ULSTER LEAGUES.

INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE.			
Ards	3	Belmont	1
Antrim 2nd	5	Banbridge 2nd	1
Holywood 2nd	2	Cliftonville 2nd	0
Y.M.C.A.	0	Knock	0
JUNIOR LEAGUE.			
Albert Foundry	1	Ballyclare	0
Doagh	9	Royal Air Force	1
North Down 2nd	3	Holywood 3rd	0
Willowfield	1	Killyleagh 2nd	0
Bangor	4	C.P.A. 2nd	1

LEINSTER LADIES' UNION.

SENIOR LEAGUE.	Goals.		Goals.
Antiquity	2	Civil Service	0
INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE.			
University College	6	Bray	2
JUNIOR LEAGUE.			
University Coll. 2nd	6	Imperial Ambers	1
Girl Guides, Shankill	1	Grangegorman 3rd	0

GOLF.

PORTMARNOCK.—St. Andrew's Cup, qualifying round, fixed for 22nd October, has been postponed to Saturday next, 29th October.

ROYAL DUBLIN.—The Black Watch medal, fixed to be played at Dollymount on Saturday, had to be postponed to next Saturday, owing to the downpour.

CARRICKMINES. — Ladies' Branch — Hidden holes competition resulted in a win for Miss M. G. Middleton with 13 for the fifth, ninth and the thirteenth holes.

CO. LOUTH.—Result of golf spoons, bogey competition. Class 1—Mrs. Tiernan, 1 down. Class 2—Mrs. Connolly and Miss Clare Lyons tied, 3 down.

ARMAGH.—At the annual general meeting the following officers were elected:—Captain, R. F. Forbes; hon. secretary, W. S. Moore; hon. treasurer, G. H. Scott; committee, Messrs. H. Hirsch, J. C. Murphy, H. M. Chapman, C. J. Stuart and J. K. Harrison. The committee were instructed to investigate the financial position of the club and report to an extraordinary general meeting.

WOODBROOK.—Ladies' Branch — Prize presented by Miss Taaffe. Result:—Mrs. Claude Murray (36), 72; Miss Jackson (36), 79; Mrs. Phillipson (11), 84; Miss Dixon (36), 84. One club competition, sweepstake, to-morrow.

BILLIARDS.

DAVIS DEFEATS NEWMAN.

Newman found the task of conceding Davis 2,000 start in 16,000 up too much, and when the match ended at Thurston's, London, on Saturday night the champion was 485 behind his opponent. In the afternoon Newman had breaks of 292, 192 and 136, as against Davis's 141, 94 and 124. Interval scores:—Davis, 15,419; Newman, 15,170. At night Davis quickly obtained his points with breaks of 105, 352, and 152 unfinished. Newman had 150 and 75. Result:—Davis (rec. 2,000), 16,000; Newman, 15,515.

WINTER SPORTS.

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GAELIC GAMES.

CIVIL SERVANTS FAIL AGAINST GUARDS.

(BY PAT'O.)

Croke Park was reserved for Intermediate and Junior Leagues yesterday. Main interest was centred in the meeting of Guards and Civil Service—two teams prominent in the Intermediate Hurling League. Following heavy rains, the pitch looked well; yet it was naturally slow, and greatly hampered the movements of the lighter Cabra men, who hoped to check the Guards' winning sequence. Guards' weight, with power of stroke, quickly asserted itself, and, though C.S. put up a determined late challenge, they were well beaten.

McDonnell and Burke drove into Service area early on, and Quinlan doubled a goal through. Neat ground work by Brennan and Shortall gave C.S. a footing, but their front line drove wide of the posts. Sullivan returned the puck out, and hard work in front ended in Spittle netting and setting the teams level. Civil Service deserved to lead five minutes later, when a fast goal was disallowed for parallelogram fault. After McHugh had saved well, Guards burst away. They used their weight well, and Quinlan's point gave them the lead. Before leaving the position pretty passing was seen between Quinlan and Burke; the latter accepted an opening on the left, and a ground ball beat Walsh in C.S. goal. Continuing to attack, Guards fed Quinlan generously. Walsh, Brennan and O'Sullivan were hard pressed, and before the half-hour Burke and McDonnell added to Guards' lead.

Guards—4 goals 2 points.
Civil Service—1 goal.

With a strong sun on their backs in the second half, it was expected that C.S. would recover. They found it difficult to open up the game on the heavy turf, and in the close they were no match for the Guards, who proceeded to add to their score, per McDonnell and Burke. Walsh continued to put up a fine defence at the C.S. net. Brennan and Scully put in some strenuous work, and Cronin hit an accurate ball above the barrier. Burke balanced with a cross-shot, but C.S. opened up on the wings, and O'Leary's pass was well used by Spittle, who dribbled in from the right corner and beat McHugh from a difficult angle. For five minutes Service held out hopes; McHugh's sound and collected goalkeeping kept them out, and soon Guards were upheld again. Civil Service cracked up badly near the end; they were getting little length into their drives. They made the fatal error of attempting spectacular lifting, instead of hitting out freely, and they were frequently tackled in possession. Guards attackers, on the contrary, adopted first-time tactics, and found the net three times in the closing stages. Quinlan was Guards' most prolific scorer, but he was well supported by Burke, Kirwan and McDonnell. Spittle, Shortal and O'Sullivan (forward), Scully, Brennan and Walsh (goal) were best for Civil Service, who were unable to adapt themselves to the heavy conditions. Full time:—

Guards—9 goals 3 points.
Civil Service—2 goals 1 point.

Mr. McGeoghan refereed.

The Junior match between Collins and Lusk was far more interesting; for the teams were in close company all the way through. A useful team is always sent out by Lusk, and they were rather unlucky in not dividing the points. Hogan sent the Army men in front with an early goal, and Breen was prominent. Lusk's full-back brought off some good saves, and cleared with good length. Army led by seven points to three at half-time, but vigorous work by Lusk brought the teams level three-quarter way through. Alternate scores followed, but the Army finished stronger. A series of seventies helped them, and the winning point came just before the end. Result:—

Collins—2 goals 4 points.
Lusk—2 goals 3 points.

Mr. J. O'Hehir, Civil Service, refereed.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, CORK, DEFEAT MACROOM.

University College, Cork, defeated Macroom (holders) by 3 goals 3 points to 1 goal in the final of the Cork County Gaelic Football Championship yesterday.

HANDBALL.

THE HARD-BALL DOUBLES FINAL

The second half of the final of the G.A.A. All-Ireland Hard-Ball Doubles Championship, between T. Soye and T. J. O'Reilly and T. Forde and D. Kelly, played in the Civic Guards Court, Phœnix Park, produced the best representative match played in Dublin this season. Munster and Leinster were represented by Limerick and Dublin respectively, and from the first half, played in Ballingarry, Co. Limerick, the Metropolitan pair held the lead of four games to two in a rubber of thirteen games.

The match was played before a large gallery, the President of the Association, General E. O'Duffy, being an interested spectator.

From the easy manner in which Dublin took a lead of thirteen aces in the first game it looked as if they were going to have a quick passage to gain the necessary three games outright, but Limerick responded with eighteen aces, and, in another hand, finished the game. Forde's strong left-handed play and tossing, aided by Kelly's cool returns, surprised Dublin, who failed to hold them.

Three games in succession gave Munster the lead of a game at 5-4. Both sides lost the inside position at game-ball in the third. First Dublin, who had reached this score from 9-all on Soye's tossing, and then Limerick, who played with great determination to hold the game. The second hand for Limerick was lost at 20-all, and then, amidst great surprise, Dublin were out without gaining the ace, O'Reilly losing from a return, while Soye played "three shorts." Forde made no mistake with his toss for the necessary ace and the lead of a game.

The next game was won easily by Dublin, to square the match at five games all. O'Reilly gave a glimpse of his form in the sixth game, as previously he had been very much off-colour, and, by combined efforts, Dublin led by 17-2. A lapse by the home pair gave Limerick a chance to advance to fourteen, but Dublin rallied to finish the game. In the final game superior stamina helped Dublin, and, although they had to play right to the last ace, they went out for the rubber and championship by seven games to five. Details:—

T. Soye and T. J. O'Reilly (Dublin) defeated T. Forde and D. Kelly (Limerick)—First half—21-14, 10-21, 21-19, 20-21, 21-20, 21-3.

Second half—14-21, 17-21, 20-21, 21-2, 21-14, 21-12.

THE JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

Four matches were played in the Dublin Junior Soft-Ball (Singles) Championship at The Castle yesterday. Results:—

K. Daly (Clontarf) defeated J. McDonnell (Garristown)—21-6, 21-20.

J. Chambers (St. Werburgh's) defeated P. Walsh (Players')—21-10, 21-14.

J. M. Byrne (Clontarf) defeated P. O'Driscoll (Civic Guards)—14-21, 21-12, 21-3.

P. O'Connor (D.M.G.) defeated C. Alcock (Civil Service)—20-21, 21-13, 21-7.

BOXING.

ST. ANDREW'S CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS.

M. RONAN DEFEATS T. FAHY.

Boxing of a high standard was witnessed last night at the Queen's Theatre, on the occasion of the third annual senior championships of the St. Andrew's Club. The theatre was packed to its utmost, and all the contests were keenly contested. The night's sport consisted of six championship bouts and two special contests. The chief attraction was the meeting of T. Fahy (St. Andrew's) and M. Ronan (James's Gate). This proved a ding-dong affair, both lads giving and taking severe punishment. Ronan, however, proved the better, and floored his opponent on two occasions, and was a good winner on points. Details:—

Light-Weights.—M. Sandham beat P. Farrell on points. It was a good contest, both lads mixing it well. Farrell had slightly the better of the opening rounds, but later Sandham, using the ring to advantage, added the necessary points to gain the verdict.

Juvenile Contest.—G. Cassidy beat E. Smith on points. Both lads displayed wonderful ringcraft, but Cassidy, who was slightly the heavier, won deservedly on points.

Catch-Weight.—J. Cassidy beat G. Nugent on points. A hard-fought contest, with Cassidy having slightly the better of the first three rounds. Nugent improved in the fourth, and sent home some telling blows, but Cassidy, who held his own in the following two rounds, just got the verdict.

Fly-Weight.—M. Rogers beat P. Byrne on points. It was a very even contest. The lads fought from gong to gong, and at the end it would be difficult to divide them. However, Rogers gained the verdict on points.

Feather-weight.—G. Collins beat J. Dunne on points. It was a poor contest, and Collins was a clear winner.

Bantam-Weight.—J. McFarland and J. Donnelly fought a draw. A good contest, but the verdict of a draw was an unpopular one.

Special Welter-Weight Contest.—Hickey (Phœnix) k.o. H. Cummins (St. Andrew's) in the fifth round.

Special Middle-Weight Contest.—M. Ronan (James's Gate) beat T. Fahy (St. Andrew's) on points.

The following officiated:—

Referees—Messrs. D. Maher, T. P. Walsh and Sergeant-Major Doogan.

Judges—Messrs. W. Carroll, J. Whelan, M. Heron, J. Greene, W. McDonald, and Sergeant Hayden.

Timekeepers—Messrs. A. Cullen and B. Hardy.

M.C.—Mr. J. McAuley.

CARDINAL BOURNE.

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history of the past of any conscious falsehood. They have inherited all this from an evil past; but the statement of falsehood goes on, and it is not always those who make misrepresentation who will accept correction. This ignorance is found amongst educated men.

"The other day a Prelate of that Elizabethan establishment made references to the doctrine of the Real Presence, which were grossly offensive to the millions who believe in that doctrine. He has been sufficiently rebuked for the tone of his remarks by members of his own communion.

"I have nothing to say about that, but I will point out that, before speaking of such beliefs, he ought, as an educated man and an honourable man, at least to have made himself acquainted with the teaching of the Catholic Church on the subject of transubstantiation, which he wholly travestied. We are always ready to give patient and courteous explanation of our teaching, but one thing we cannot do, and that is explain away what Jesus Christ has taught. We believe Jesus Christ is truly God and truly man, that He can never change, and that His teaching must always be the same.

"THE ONLY WORD."

"We of the Catholic Church alone take His words in their natural literary sense. On that account we alone are scriptural, primitive and evangelical in a sense that belongs to no one else."

Alluding to the doctrine of transubstantiation, Cardinal Bourne said: "Men always want to find out how things can be explained. When a thing is a mystery it can be only explained in a limited degree. Simple folk take these things as they stand, but there are always minds which have the right to ask a question. The word transubstantiation was chosen in a strictly metaphysical sense, and not in accordance with the common parlance of the twentieth century. It was chosen as the only word which adequately expressed what we believe by transubstantiation, and the Divinely-guided Church declared that it was so, and that it was a word which was to be accepted because it was in conformity with, and not in contradiction of, the Divine revelation.

"There is no re-statement, no adjustment, to new conditions, but the reformation of the old Church, which will go on to the end. It is God's truth, and God's truth, like Himself, cannot change.

"We have the future before us. Round about we see religious organisations which speak with a halting voice in matters, both of faith and morality, which hesitate to declare the truth and proclaim very often that they do not know it. We see these organisations, which are impotent to declare definitely in revealed truth.

"If England is to be saved for belief in God, in the Incarnation and Revelation, it is only the Catholic Church which can do that work."

6,000 CHILDREN AT A MATINEE.

TEMPERANCE WORK AMONG YOUTH OF DUBLIN.

About six thousand schoolboys and schoolgirls from Dublin and district assembled in the Theatre Royal yesterday afternoon for the annual meeting of the Sacred Heart Total Abstinence League.

The Rev. J. J. Kennedy, P.P., Enniskerry, who presided, said that the chief obstacle to the spiritual and temporal welfare of the people was the abuse of alcoholic drink. Many remedies had been tried for the evil, but those who worked in the temperance movement, especially the saintly founder of the organisation, Father Cullen, had come to the conclusion that the only remedy was total abstinence. Father Cullen began by organising the children, and he had three hundred thousand in his army of abstainers.

The Rev. Father Aloysius, O.S.F.C., said that many years ago a holy bishop in Raphoe—he believed it was their beloved Cardinal whose death they mourned at present—said that intemperance was the enemy of the reign of God in Ireland. But as long as they had children in their army—as long as they could count on the great white army of pledged total abstainers—they were confident of victory.

The Rev. J. Flynn, S.J., Gardiner street, Spiritual Director of the League, announced that he would give a prize to the boy or girl under 16 who would write the best description of the meeting.

An entertainment followed, opening with a display of Sokol exercises by the boys of the Artane School. Some of the evolutions were being performed to musical accompaniments. The boys also gave interesting performances on the horizontal bar and vaulting horse.

Harry Lino, a well-known comedian, contributed a number of amusing character studies.

A film entitled "Have Courage" and a cartoon were shown on the screen, to the great delight of the audience.

The Artane School Band contributed a musical programme.

IRISH KENNEL CLUB.

INTERESTING LECTURES.

A most interesting lecture, under the auspices of the Irish Kennel Club, was given by Mr. Justice Hanna in Jury's Hotel on the Irish Blue Terrier. The lecturer dealt with the qualities of the breed in vogue at the present day, and the points enlarged upon in connection with the judging and exhibiting of the breed were most instructive and interesting. A striking feature was the amount of constructive criticism tendered by various members of the audience subsequent to the lecture, and the knowledge and enthusiasm shown by everyone participating speaks very well for the future of the Blue.

Another interesting feature was the number of persons present representing other breeds, and, doubtless, those attending the lecture gleaned much useful information in connection with the owning and exhibiting of dogs of any breed.

The next of the series of lectures will be given in Jury's Hotel on Thursday, the 10th November, at 8 o'clock p.m. On that occasion the lecture will be given on the Airedale Terrier by Mr. J. J. Malone, and, no doubt, that lecture will prove in every way as interesting as its predecessor. Further lectures under the auspices of the Kennel Club have been arranged for the winter months, and due notice of these will be given in the Press.

ATHLETICS.

N.A. AND C.A. TRAINING GROUND AT PHŒNIX PARK.

What may be described in a hackneyed phrase as a long-felt want has been supplied by the opening in the Phœnix Park of a training centre for athletes. The Commissioners of Public Works have re-conditioned the old Garrison Cricket Club Pavilion and have handed it to the County Dublin Board of the National Athletic and Cycling Association, which has agreed to pay a rent of £20 per annum for a period of twenty years to recoup the Commissioners for the capital outlay.

The premises were formally transferred on Saturday afternoon, when Mr. Patrick Lynch, K.C., the Chairman of the Co. Dublin Board of the N.A. and C.A., with other officials of that body, accepted the keys of the pavilion from a representative of the Board of Works.

A number of the Dublin clubs made the new pavilion the meeting place for their weekly runs, and all of those who were present were loud in their praises of the very complete manner in which the pavilion has been equipped. There is ample washing accommodation, a shower bath, and provision for the cooking of light refreshments. The ground will allow of a 350 yards track being laid out, and as well as providing facilities for individual training the new ground will be of value to the clubs for the decision of inter-club matches, etc.

It was at one time intended that the annual "rally" of the clubs affiliated to the Co. Dublin Board should be held in conjunction with the opening of the pavilion, but this event has been postponed to Saturday next, when the Army Athletic Association will act as hosts, and as well as providing dressing accommodation at the McKee Barracks will stage a smoking concert after the run.

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U.S. MARKETS.

WEAK CLOSING OF STOCKS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)
NEW YORK, Saturday.

Stocks opened weak, and a steady bombardment of selling orders depressed prominent shares to new low levels for the current decline, bulls being little disposed to take stock except at large concessions. The offerings reflected disappointment over the industrial situation. Bears emphasised the abundance of call money, as illustrating diminished commercial borrowing, and also stressed the reduced carloadings as concrete evidence of a reduction in manufacturing activity. Case Threshing Machine fell 9 points. Houston Oil 8, Baldwin Locomotive 6½, International Harvesters 5, and Du-Pont 4. There were some late recoveries due to the customary week-end covering, and Baldwin Locomotive rallied 11 points in the final dealings; but the market finished weak. Government Bonds irregular; Railroad Bonds irregular. The day's sales totalled 1,542,000 shares.

Money on call nominal. Sterling exchange quiet. Silver ⅛c. higher at 56⅝.

	Sat.	Fri.
Call Money	Nom.	3½b. 3¾a
Exchange on Lon.—60 days sight	4.83	4.83
Do do Demand Bills	4.86 13/16	4.86 13/16
Cable Transfers	4.87 5/16	4.87 5/16
Do. Montreal	4.86½	4.86⅝
Exchange Paris cable	3.92¾	3.92⅝

Eng. Parity.	Stocks.	Sat.	Fri.
188 13/16	Atchison, Topeka, Santa Fe	184	185⅛
105 5/16	Do. Pref.	102½	102½
119 5/16	Baltimore and Ohio	116¼	116
190½	Canadian Pacific	185¼	187
15⅝	Chicago, Milwaukee, & St. Paul	15¼	14¾
90 15/16	Chicago and North West	88½	89⅝
64¼	Erie Shares	62⅝	63½
61⅜	Erie 1st Preferred	60	60
133 15/16	Illinois Central	130½	132½
149 1/16	Louisville and Nashville	145¼	146
42 11/16	Missouri, Kansas, and Texas	41⅜	42¼
56 5/16	Missouri Pacific New	54¾	55⅛
160⅞	New York C'tral & Hudson R	156¾	158½
188 1/16	Norfolk and West Com.	183¾	184
96 1/16	Northern Pacific Com.	93⅝	93½
66⅞	Pennsylvania Shares	64¾	64¾
109 5/16	Reading Shares	106⅜	105¾
42⅞	Do. Pref.	42	42
123 11/16	Southern Pacific	120½	121½
134 5/16	Southern Railway	130¾	130¾
190⅛	Union Pacific	185¼	187
84 15/16	Do. Pref.	82¾	82⅛
63⅛	American Can. (New Stock)	61½	61¾
162⅛	American Smelt. and Refining	158	160⅞
47 5/16	Anaconda Copper	46⅛	46⅝
19¼	Anglo-American Oil	18¾	
52¾	Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock	51⅝	52
26 3/16	Brit.-American Tobacco Coupon	25½	
112⅞	New York Consolidated Gas	110	111½
126½	General Electric (New Stock)	123¼	125
128 9/16	General Motors (New)	125¼	127¾
4⅝	Inter. Mer. Marine Com. Certs.	4½	4½
34⅞	Do. Pref. Certs	34	35¼
31 11/16	International Pet. of Canada	30⅞	31⅝
113⅛	National Lead	110¼	114
48¾	Pan-American Petroleum "B"	47½	47½
42 7/16	Shell Transport and Trading	41⅝	41½
25 13/16	Shell Union Oil Corp.	25⅛	25
53⅛	U.S. Rubber	51¾	51¼
141¾	United States Steel Common	138⅛	139
140 9/16	Do. Pref.	137	137
—	Silver Commercial Bars	56⅜	56⅛
	BONDS.		
100 1/16	Atch Top. New 4% Gen. Mort.	97½	97⅝
84⅝	Erie Rail. Gen. 4% Lien Bonds	82¼	82¼
100 11/16	Union Pacific 4% Bonds	98⅛	98¼
111⅝	U.S. Steel 2nd Mort. 5% Bonds	108¾	109
—	U.K. 5½ per cent. Bonds, 1929	—	117⅝
109 1/16	Do. Do. 1937	106¼	106
109 5/16	7 per cent. German Loan	106½	106⅞
108 15/16	U.S. Treas. 3¾ p.c. Bds., 46-56	106½	106½

* Asked; † Ex div.; ‡ Ex interest; § Ex rights.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Eng. Equiv.	Stocks and Shares.	Closing Prices. Sat.	Fri.
137 5/16	Abitibi Power & Paper Co., Ltd	133⅝	134
37½	Asbestos Corp. of Canada, Ltd.	36½	36⅞
97⅝	Do. Pref.	95	95
196¼	Brazilian T. L. & P. Co., Ltd	191	195
¼	Brit. Empire Steel Corp., Ltd.	¼	¼
16 7/16	Do. 1st Preference Series B	16	16
1 9/16	Do. 2nd Preference	1½	1½
50⅞	Brompton Pulp & Paper Co., Ltd	49½	49½
251 15/16	Canada Cement Co., Ltd.	245	249
129½	Canadian Cottons Co., Ltd.	126	126½
37½	Canadian Indus. Alcohol Co.	36½	36½
37	Canada Steamships Lines, Ltd.	36	35
96⅝	Do. New 6 p.c.	94	93
250¼	Con. Mining & Smelt. Co. of Canada, Ltd.	243½	249
128 7/16	Dominion Textile Co., Ltd.	125	127¼
17½	Hollinger Gold Mining Shares	17	17
105 1/16	Laurentide Co., Ltd.	102½	103
91½	Montreal L. H. & P. Consd.	89	90
89 7/16	National Breweries, Ltd.	87	87
66 15/16	Price Bros. and Co., Ltd.	65	65
85 7/16	Shawinigan W. & P. Co. (New)	83½	84½
125⅜	Spanish R. P'p & P'r Mills, Ltd	122	122
143 15/16	Do. Preferred	140	140
163⅞	Steel Co. of Canada, Ltd.	159½	166
78⅛	Quebec Power Co. New Stock	76	76
92⅜	Wayagamack	89⅞	92
84 15/16	Winnipeg Electric	82½	82¼

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS.

WHEAT—Spots barely steady and ⅛c. to ⅝c. decline.

	To-day.	Prev. day
No. 2 Mixed Durum, spot	150⅞	151¼
No. 2 Northern Manitoba, spot	134⅝	134¾
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	134⅝	134⅝
No. 2 Red Winter, spot	143⅝	144¼

Futures steady, and December ⅝c. lower. Closing options—December, 124⅜; March and May, unquoted.

Sales for export—50 boatloads.

RYE firm and 1¼c. up. No. 2 spot, 109½.

Sales for export—10 boatloads.

BARLEY steady and unchanged. American malting, spot, 91.

MAIZE steady, ½c. up.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Western No. 2 mixed spot	92⅝	91⅞

Sales for export—10 boatloads.

LARD easy and 20 points lower. Prime Western steam, 12.85; Middle West, 12.60 to 12.70.

FLOUR easier. Spring clears, 100 per cent., 6.50 to 6.90.

Sales for export—Nil.

FREIGHTS.

Heavy grain to Continent, per 100lbs., 10c. to 12c.

Cotton—High density to Great Britain, per 100lbs., 40c.

Cotton—Standard bales to Great Britain, per 100lbs., 35c.

PETROLEUM steady.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Standard White in cases	17.15	17.15
Standard White in barrels	13.75	13.75
Do. Philadelphia	13.75	12.75
Mid-Continent Crude	33-33.9	33-33.9
Pennsylvania Crude	2.25-2.65	2.25-2.65

RUBBER quiet but steady. First latex crepe, spot, 34¾ buyers; smoked ribbed sheets, spot, 34½ buyers, 34¾ sellers.

COFFEE—

Options—	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	May.	July.	Sept.
To-day	13.63	13.55	13.53	13.38	13.35	13.27
Prev. day	13.75	13.58	13.59	13.45	13.43	13.31

SUGAR—Cetrifugal Cuban, spot, steady; 96 test centrifugal Cuban, 4.68. Futures steady, 2 points up to unchanged. Approximate day's sales—5,000 tons.

Options—	Oct.	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	May.	July	Sept.
To-day	2.91	2.92	2.95	2.80	2.87	2.96	3.03
Prev. day	2.90	2.91	2.93	2.80	2.87	2.95	3.03

TALLOW steady. Spot, extra loose, 8.

SHELLAC—T.N., spot, 47½.

TURPENTINE—Spot, 52; Savannah, spot, 46.

METALS.—Straits Tin steady; spot and December 12¼ points higher; spot and near-by New York 58.87½; future option, December, 58.37½. Lead steady and unchanged; spot, New York, 6.25; East St. Louis, 6.02½. Zinc steady and unchanged; spot, East St. Louis, 6.00. Pig Iron steady; No. 2 Northern plain, f.o.b. Furnace, Eastern Pennsylvania, 20.00; f.o.b. Buffalo (delivery Boston), 21.41 by rail, 19.50 by water.

WINNIPEG GRAINS.

WHEAT opened steady, ¼c. decline, and closed steady, ⅛c. to ¼c. down; opening options—October 131, December 125, May 129; closing options—October 130⅛, December 124⅝, May 128⅛. Rye steady and ⅛c. to ⅜c. up; closing options—October 93⅛, December 93⅛. Oats steady and ⅛c. to ⅛c. higher; closing options—October 60⅞, December 51⅛. Barley barely steady and ⅛c. to ⅛c. lower; closing options—October 77½, December 72⅞. Flaxseed steady and ⅛c. higher; closing options—October 184½, December 184⅛.

Wheat receipts (carlots).	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 1 Northern	12	14
No. 2 Northern	104	110
No. 3 Northern	222	194
No. 4 Northern	88	74
Other grades	987	844
Total	1,413	1,236

NEW YORK COTTON.

COTTON opened steady, and the influence of favourable weather and lower cable advices was offset by diminished Southern hedge selling. Trading was quiet, however, and values advanced under trade buying and covering, then weakened on holders taking profits. The market closed steady, 3 points up to 5 points down. Spot quiet and unchanged. New Orleans, spot, 7 points higher. Cotton on shipboard to-day awaiting clearance amounts to 133,000, compared with 154,000 bales last year.

Spot, middling upland at New York, 20.00.

Spot, middling upland at New Orleans, 19.90.

Receipts—Atlantic ports, 6,000 bales; Gulf, 41,000; Pacific, nil; interior towns, 10,000.

Exports—Great Britain, 11,000 bales; France and the Continent, 10,000; Japan and China, 13,000.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Saturday.

WHEAT opened steady, ⅛c. up to ¼c. down. After some advances due to better foreign reports and week-end covering, the market reacted owing to the bearish Argentine acreage figures, large Canadian receipts, advices of fine weather everywhere, and predictions of an increase in the visible supply. Reports of a good milling demand in the South-West brought a rally later, and the market closed steady, but ⅜c. down on the day. Spot easy.

	To-day.	Prev. day
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	123	124¼
No. 3 Hard Winter, spot	—	123⅞

Futures—Opening options—	Dec.	Mar.	May.
To-day	123½	126¼	128⅛
Prev. day	124⅝	127⅜	129⅝
Futures—Closing options—	**Dec.**	**Mar.**	**May.**
To-day	122⅝	125¾	127¾
Prev. day	123¼	126⅜	128⅜

MAIZE firm at ⅛c. to ¼c. gain.

Futures—Opening options—	Dec.	Mar.	May
To-day	83⅜	86⅞	89¼
Prev. day	83¼	87	89¼
Futures—Closing options—	**Dec.**	**Mar.**	**May**
To-day	83⅛	87⅛	89⅜
Prev. day	82⅞	86⅝	89⅛

OATS firm at ¼c. to ⅛c. advance.

Futures—Closing options—	Dec.	Mar.	May
To-day	45⅝	47⅜	48⅜
Prev. day	45⅛	47⅛	48⅛

RYE firm, 1¼c. to ¾c. higher. No. 2 spot unquoted.

Futures—Closing options—	Dec.	Mar.	May.
To-day	97⅛	98¾	99¼
Prev. day	96¼	98	98⅛

PROVISIONS—Lard opened steady, but the larger contract deliveries, easier hog market, and selling by cash houses prompted declines. The market closed easy, with futures 22½ to 7½ and spot 20 points down. Ribs dull, unchanged to 12½ points lower. Lard—Prime Western steam spot, 12.10.

Lard—Closing options—	Oct.	Dec.	Jan.
To-day	12.07½	12.20	12.55
Prev. day	12.30	12.32½	12.62½
Ribs—Closing options—	**Oct.**	**Dec.**	**Jan.**
To-day	12.00	11.90	12.45
Prev. day	12.00	11.90	12.57½

BACON steady. Short ribs, spot (60lbs average), 12.37½.

HOGS easy. Light weights are 15 to 5 points and heavy unchanged to 10 points down. Light-weight, 10.25 to 11.35; heavy-weight, 11.10 to 11.75.

	To-day.	Same day last year
Receipts—Western Cities	20,000	30,000
" Chicago	4,000	6,000

Receipts of hogs at fifteen principal Western centres, including Chicago, since February 26th total 16,157,000, against 15,828,000 same season last year.

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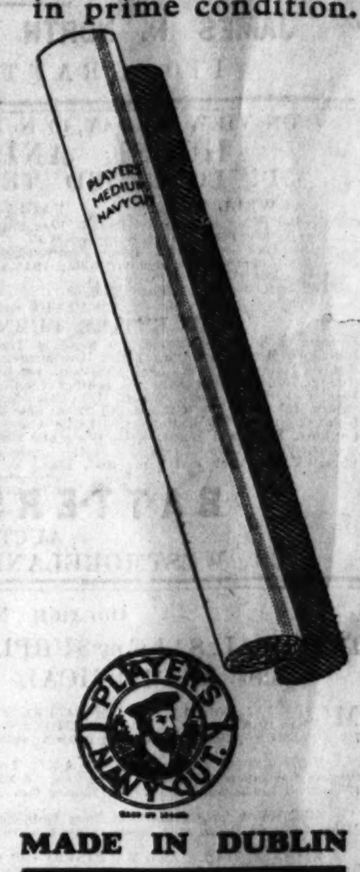

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So said Mr. Justice Branson, at Chester Assizes, in charging the Grand Jury on a case where Albert Edward Davies (28), a shipyard labourer, of Proctor road, Rochferry, was indicted for the murder of his four-year-old daughter Elsie, who was found dead in a bath; and last Saturday the jury returned a verdict of "Not guilty," and the accused man was discharged, to be embraced by his relatives on leaving the dock.

Mr. John Grace, M.P., who prosecuted, said that the circumstances leading to the alleged crime were almost tragic in the chain of misfortunes which befel Davies from the time when he left the Army to July 10 last, when, it was alleged, the crime was committed. The girl Elsie was one of five children. Early this year the mother, suffering from tuberculosis and curvature of the spine, died. The girl also contracted tuberculosis, and early in June she developed gangrene in the face following measles. Davies was in the habit of sitting up with the child all night, and he was much distressed. The doctor was of opinion that the child could not live long.

On the night of July 9 the prisoner sat up all night with the child. The following morning Davies went to his mother-in-law's house, telling her that he had drowned Elsie, as he could not bear to see her suffering any longer. He afterwards surrendered to the police, telling them that he had put the girl in a bath. The police found the girl lying face downwards in nine inches of water.

Medical evidence was that the child's death was anticipated by the disease. She was in such a state that shock would have caused death if she were removed to hospital.

Replying to counsel for the defence (Mr. Austin), a doctor said that it was feasible that the child could have died from shock consequent on Davies lifting her out of the cot.

Counsel for the defence said that since leaving the Army Davies had been overwhelmed with misery and grief owing to the illness of his wife and daughter. His nightly vigils of the sick child might have caused him to become mentally deranged.

BRITISH LIVE STOCK TRADE.

FAT COWS DIFFICULT TO SELL.

Reviewing the British live stock markets of the past week, the *Agricultural Market Report* states that demand generally for fat cattle showed little alteration on the week, and any variation in the usual numbers exposed at the different centres was reflected in the price movements. Choice box-feds and well-finished beasts off the grass were not plentiful, and, where offered, commanded a ready sale at firm rates, but fat cows and rough cattle were difficult to sell at lower prices. The average rates for first and second quality cattle was 46s. 3d. and 40s. 2d. per live cwt., respectively.

Fat sheep were penned in rather fewer numbers, and, with a steady demand, a firmer tone prevailed, although values were not quotably higher. First quality Downs and cross-breds again averaged 12½d. per lb.

Fat pigs were marketed in shorter supply during the week; but, while porkers were in fair demand, baconers were in less request at most centres. The average rates for first quality baconers and porkers were 9s. 8d. and 11s. 3d. per 14lb. stone. Moderate offerings of veal calves were inclined to be cheaper, first quality averaging 11½d. per lb.

STORE STOCK.

Dairy cattle were shown in average numbers, and best sorts continued to meet a ready sale at recent quotations, but for the majority lower rates were accepted, and rough sorts were difficult to clear at any price. Light pitchings of store cattle again experienced a slow inquiry, only well-fleshed forward beasts being sought after. Prices generally were on a lower scale.

With the advance of the season store sheep were offered in smaller numbers, but prices generally were well held. Good breeding ewes were in demand, but grazing ewes were not so good to sell.

Store pigs were freely offered, but demand was less active and prices, especially for the younger lots, were distinctly lower on the week. Sows and litters sold cheaply. Demand for weaning calves was slack, and values were again lower.

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AT Northbrook road—Non basement, semi detached, modern House, seven apartments, garage; long lease; £1,100.—Morgan, 28 Grafton street. 21 D

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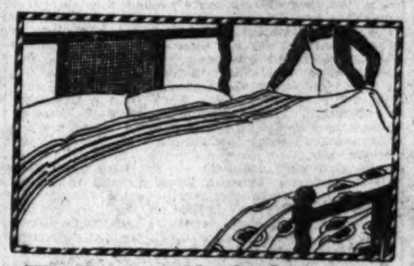

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BOURKE—October 18, 1927, at [...] street, Carlow, to Mr. and Mrs. George [...] son.

GRANT—October 22, 1927, at 93 Lo[...] street, to Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Grant, Straffan, County Kildare, a son.

HANNON—October 23, 1927, at Th[...] Lurgan, to Canon and Mrs. Gordon Han[non] [...]

MURPHY—October 15, 1927, to Fr[...] of Dr. Oswald J. Murphy, 50 Merrio[n] [...] daughter.

SCALES—October 15, 1927, at 71 [...] Dublin, to Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Scales, [...]

TOWNSEND—October 22, 1927, at [...] Baggot street, Dublin, to Sydney, wife [of] A. B. Townsend, a son.

MARRIAGES.

CANNELL and MACOUN—Septembe[r] [...] at the Cathedral, Hong Kong, by the [...] Moyle, M.A., Chaplain, Rev. Robe[rt] Cannell, M.A., C.M.S., China, to Murie[l] Macoun, fifth daughter of the late John [...] of Woodburn, Malone Park, Belfast.

CHAPMAN and DAVIE—October 18 [...] St. Aidan's Cathedral, Ferns, County [...] the Rev. Canon Lindsay, M.A., assiste[d] [...] W. Briscoe, Alfred B. Chapman, sec[ond] [...] Benjamin Chapman and the late Mrs. [...] Ferns, to Helen Frances, younger daug[hter] [...] late J. T. Davie (Ardamine) and of [...] St. Aidan's School, Ferns, County Wex[ford].

HUDSON and RUSSELL—October 4 [...] Colombo, Ceylon, Francis Garde, youn[...] John and the late Mrs. Hudson, Pem[...] Dublin, to Kathleen, only daughter o[f] the late J. R. Russell, Seafield, Bonmah[on], Waterford.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received la[te for] insertion in this column will be fo[und on] Page 6.

BAIRD—October 21, 1927, George B[...] Halton road, Wallasey, Cheshire, a[nd] Dublin, the beloved and devoted husba[nd] [of] Mary Baird, and son of the late An[...] Clogher, County Tyrone. Interment [...] Cemetery, Wallasey, Cheshire.

BUTLER—October 23, 1927, at Carn[...] last surviving son of the late James B[...] puck, Ferns, County Wexford.

CUDMORE—October, 24, 1927, a[t] [...] Rathmines road, Dublin, Edward, son [of] Milo and Rebecca Cudmore, Manis[...] Leinster road, Rathmines, aged 84 ye[ars]. [...] said: "Come unto Me all ye that lab[our and are] heavy-laden and I will give you rest."

FLANAGAN—October 24, 1927, sudd[enly, at her] residence, 21 Palmerston road, Lizzie, [...] wife of John Flanagan. Deeply regret[ted by her] sorrowing husband and family. R.I.P. [Funeral] strictly private. No flowers, by reques[t].

HORNER—October 23, 1927, at his [...] 30 Morgan Mansions, Holloway, Lo[ndon], peacefully, Sidney J. Horner, late o[f] County Dublin. Greatly mourned. "M[y flesh and] my heart faileth, but God is the stre[ngth of my] heart and my portion for ever." Psa. lx[xiii].

LAW—September 23, 1927, at [...] Hospital, Benoni, South Africa, Marth[a] [...] wife of William Moffat Law, and dearly [...] daughter of the late George Bell and [...] Kilcoate, Monilea, Mullingar. "Pe[ace, perfect] peace." (News received by letter.)

McCAMAS—October 20, 1927, at he[r] [...] Shercock, County Cavan, M. A. McCam[as] [...] wife of the late Samuel McCamas. "S[...] His beloved peace."

O'DONNELL—On Saturday, October [...] at Carlingford, His Eminence Patri[ck] O'Donnell, Archbishop of Armagh and [Primate of] All Ireland. R.I.P. Remains were [...] motor-hearse from Carlingford yesterday [...] 24th inst., leaving at 1 p.m., and arr[iving] [at] 5 p.m. at St. Patrick's Cathedral, Arm[agh], [where] he will lie in State. Solemn Office a[nd] Mass in St. Patrick's Cathedral, Arm[agh], [at ...] o'clock on Friday morning, 28th inst., [...] the interment will take place.

POLSON—October 19, 1927, sudd[enly] [...] Dillworth, eldest daughter of the late [...] Polson, late of 15 Leinster street, and [...] Templeogue. Deeply mourned by all [...] her. "Her Saviour said: 'Thy wo[rk is done,] come.'" Interred at Mount Jerome Oc[tober ...].

SCOTT—October 23, 1927, at a Dub[lin ...] Henry Mark Scott, in his 76th year, [...] Medical Officer, Inniscrone, County Sli[go] (private) Dean's Grange. No flowers.

SHEPARD—October 23, 1927, at hi[s ...] Sheephill, Wicklow, William John, eldes[t son of the] late Henry Shepard, Oatlands. Funera[l] (Wednesday), 26th, leaving for Dun[...] 12.30.

SYMES—October 18, 1927, at Holmes[...] Brasted, Kent, Mary Elizabeth Symes, [...] the late Dr. W. Sandham Symes, of Ch[...]

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Miss Figgis, 70 Grove Park, Rath[mines, and] members of the family return sincere [thanks for the] numerous letters and telegrams rece[ived in] their recent bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM.

DUGGAN—Second Anniversary—Ja[mes] Duggan, B.L., late 4 Avoca terrace, Bl[ackrock], died October 25th, 1925. R.I.P. Sacr[ed Heart of] Jesus, have mercy on his soul.

KELLY—In loving memory of our d[ear ...] called to rest October 25th, 1926. "[Good] night, beloved."

MOYNAN—In fond and loving mem[ory of our] dear husband, William Moynan, who d[ied] 25th, 1923, at his residence, Culla[...] Knock, Roscrea. Deeply regretted by [his] wife, sons and daughters.
Jesus called him, he was ready,
For that Home so bright and [fair,]
Up among the happy angels,
He is waiting for us there.

MURPHY—In loving memory of M[...] Fraser Murphy, D.L., O.B.E., of [...] Boyle, who died on October 25th, 192[...]

ROBINSON—Ever loved Herbert J[...] whose spirit passed to God, "Who is a[...]" the 25th of October, 1924.

RONALDSON—In affectionate reme[mbrance of] a loving wife, Margaret Elizabeth, wh[o died] at Woodtown House, Athboy, 25th Oct[ober ...]

TOPPING—In ever-loving memory of [...] and mother, Elizabeth Topping, who [was called] away by the Master on 25th Oct[ober ...] "They shall be Mine, saith the Lord."

WATSON—Sixth Anniversary — In [loving] memory of my darling mother, who p[assed] fully away on 25th October, 1921, [at her resi]dence, 3 Fitzroy avenue, Drumcondra.
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Since mother was called away.
No pen can write, no tongue can [tell]
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